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PREFACE

This 1982-1983 edition of the NEBRASKA STATISTICAL HANDBOOK, contains a comprehensive collection of data on demographic, social, physical and economic aspects of the State. The data has been gathered from various governmental (State and Federal) and private sources. The source notes at the end of each table indicate the publication or agency where additional information can be obtained.

For users interested in sources of data on specific subjects, Appendix A, Guide to Data Sources, contains a list of the sources used in each section. Data from sources other than government agencies are subject to copyright restrictions. Permission to use copyrighted material must be obtained directly from the copyright owner.

In compiling this seventh edition, all of the tables contained in the previous edition were carefully reviewed. It was necessary to make changes in some of the tables due to changes in the available data. Terms used in the tables have been taken directly from the sources noted. Definitions of terms not found at the end of the tables can be obtained by referring to the sources.

This volume was compiled and prepared by the Research Division of the Nebraska Department of Economic Development. The statistical series included represent those determined to be most useful. Every effort has been made to insure accuracy in the presentation of these data.

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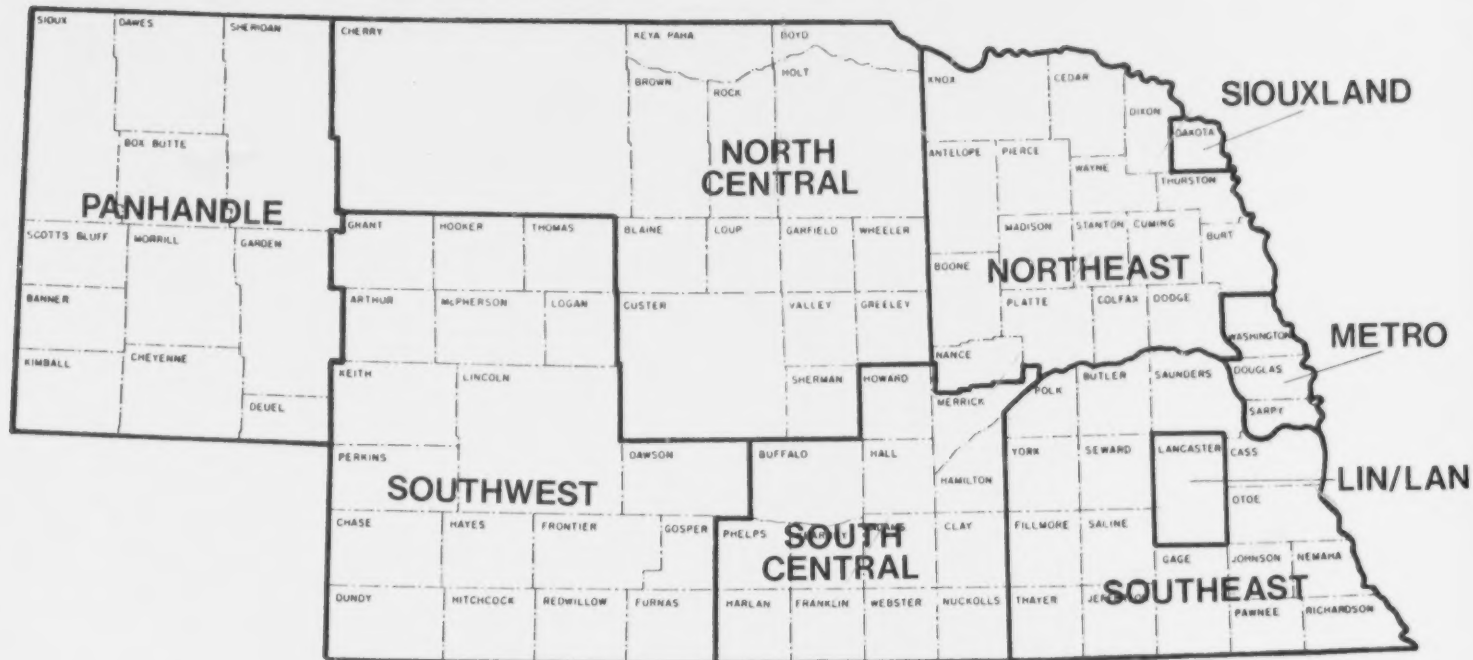
Fifteenth out of the fifty states in area, Nebraska's 76,483 square miles of land comprises 93 counties. The counties vary in area from Cherry county's 5,966 square miles in the north central to the 238 square miles of Sarpy county in the east.

The invigorating temperate climate of Nebraska is differentiated from west to east. Normal annual average temperature and precipitation, ranges from 47.9° and 17.4 inches of moisture in the panhandle to 52.1° and 30.90 inches of moisture in the southeast. On average the month of July is the warmest and January the coldest in the State. June and January are respectively on average the wettest and driest months for the State.

The statistics presented in the following pages cover land area and climate of Nebraska. The U.S. Department of Commerce is the principal source for the data shown.

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NEBRASKA DISTRICTS



LAND AREA OF COUNTIES

Nebraska				1980			
County	Land Area		Percent of Total	County	Land Area		Percent of Total
	Sq. Miles	Acres			Sq. Miles	Acres	
Adams	564	359,680	0.73	Dixon	474	304,000	0.62
Antelope	859	545,920	1.11	Dodge	534	337,920	0.69
Arthur	710	450,560	0.92	Douglas	333	214,400	0.43
Banner	747	472,320	0.96	Dundy	920	589,440	1.20
Blaine	714	454,400	0.93	Fillmore	576	369,280	0.75
Boone	687	437,120	0.89	Franklin	576	369,920	0.75
Box Butte	1,077	681,600	1.39	Frontier	976	613,680	1.26
Boyd	532	344,320	0.70	Furnas	721	462,080	0.94
Brown	1,214	778,240	1.59	Gage	858	549,120	1.12
Buffalo	946	607,360	1.24	Garden	1,680	1,073,920	2.19
Burt	486	309,120	0.63	Garfield	570	364,160	0.74
Butler	584	372,480	0.76	Gosper	461	296,960	0.61
Cass	557	355,200	0.72	Grant	775	488,960	1.00
Cedar	740	474,880	0.97	Greeley	570	364,800	0.74
Chase	893	569,600	1.16	Hall	537	343,680	0.70
Cherry	5,961	3,818,240	7.80	Hamilton	542	343,680	0.70
Cheyenne	1,196	759,040	1.55	Harlan	555	355,840	0.73
Clay	574	364,800	0.74	Hayes	714	455,040	0.93
Colfax	410	259,840	0.53	Hitchcock	709	455,680	0.93
Cuming	575	365,440	0.75	Holt	2,406	1,539,200	3.14
Custer	2,571	1,637,120	3.34	Hooker	720	462,080	0.94
Dakota	258	163,200	0.33	Howard	564	360,960	0.74
Dawes	1,397	887,040	1.81	Jefferson	575	369,280	0.75
Dawson	982	624,000	1.27	Johnson	376	241,280	0.49
Deuel	437	279,040	0.57	Kearney	519	327,680	0.67

LAND AREA OF COUNTIES (CONT'D)

Nebraska				1980			
County	Land Area		Percent of Total	County	Land Area		Percent of Total
	Sq. Miles	Acres			Sq. Miles	Acres	
Keith	1,039	660,480	1.36	Red Willow	718	439,040	0.90
Keya Paha	769	491,520	1.00	Richardson	553	353,280	0.72
Kimball	952	609,920	1.24	Rock	1,003	645,760	1.32
Knox	1,105	708,480	1.45	Saline	576	368,000	0.75
Lancaster	839	540,800	1.10	Sarpy	238	152,960	0.31
Lincoln	2,525	1,614,080	3.30	Saunders	753	485,760	0.99
Logan	571	364,800	0.74	Scotts Bluff	725	464,640	0.95
Loup	574	367,360	0.75	Seward	525	365,440	0.75
McPherson	859	547,840	1.12	Sheridan	2,453	1,575,680	3.21
Madison	575	366,080	0.75	Sherman	564	362,880	0.74
Merrick	478	307,200	0.63	Sioux	2,069	1,320,320	2.69
Morrill	1,405	897,280	1.83	Stanton	431	275,840	0.56
Nance	439	280,960	0.57	Thayer	575	369,280	0.75
Nemaha	408	260,480	0.53	Thomas	714	458,240	0.93
Nuckolls	576	370,560	0.76	Thurston	391	248,320	0.51
Otoe	615	396,160	0.81	Valley	567	364,160	0.74
Pawnee	432	277,120	0.57	Washington	386	247,020	0.50
Perkins	885	566,400	1.16	Wayne	443	283,520	0.58
Phelps	540	348,160	0.71	Webster	575	368,000	0.75
Pierce	575	366,720	0.75	Wheeler	575	368,640	0.75
Platte	669	426,880	0.87	York	576	369,280	0.75
Polk	437	276,480	0.56	NEBRASKA	76,644	48,957,440	100.00

Note: Totals may not equal the sum of the parts due to rounding.

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1980 Census of Population and 1978 Census of Agriculture.

1980 AVERAGE MONTHLY PRECIPITATION BY REGION
(Inches)

Nebraska								1980
Month	Panhandle	North Central	North- east	Central	East Central	South- west	South Central	South- east
January	0.60	0.32	0.32	0.35	0.90	0.67	0.81	1.40
February	0.67	0.91	0.46	0.78	0.62	0.76	0.59	0.74
March	1.52	1.73	1.08	2.24	1.79	2.72	3.21	3.62
April	0.90	0.73	1.31	1.33	1.63	1.28	1.83	2.04
May	2.86	2.67	2.43	1.83	1.80	2.01	2.02	2.03
June	1.61	2.14	2.18	2.08	5.09	2.88	2.81	2.75
July	1.55	1.08	1.05	1.07	1.67	1.70	1.68	2.50
August	2.07	3.93	5.16	3.53	6.27	3.38	3.73	4.73
September	0.31	0.29	1.23	0.85	0.51	1.20	1.27	0.99
October	0.63	1.40	1.60	1.38	2.62	0.33	1.11	2.67
November	0.25	0.09	0.06	0.06	0.12	0.10	0.05	0.12
December	0.13	0.24	0.20	0.17	0.39	0.02	0.27	1.39
Annual	13.10	15.53	17.09	15.67	23.41	17.05	19.38	24.98

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration,
Climatological Data, Annual Summary, Nebraska, 1980.

SECTION B

POPULATION

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The 1,569,825 inhabitants of the State of Nebraska in 1980 represented an increase of 84,492 individuals from the 1970 count of 1,485,333 persons. The population growth rate for the 1970s was 5.7 percent, up from the 5.2 percent increase registered in the 1960s.

A considerable reduction in the State's net out-migration was recorded between 1970 and 1980, as only 12,616 more people left the State than entered, a 0.8 percent out-migration rate. This compares favorably to the 1960s when 72,700 more people moved out of the State than moved in, a 5.1 percent out-migration rate.

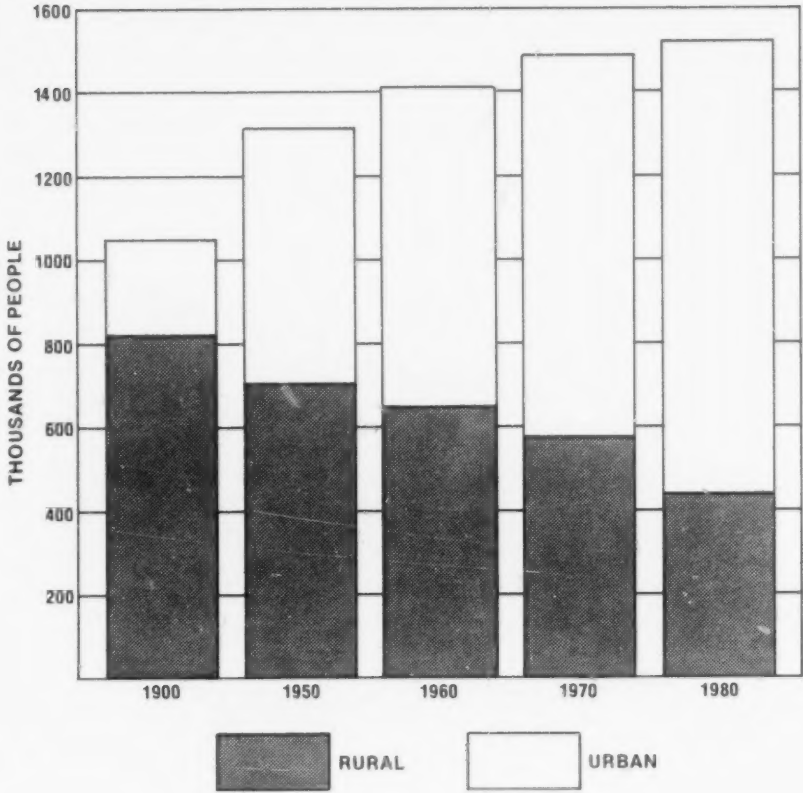
During the decade of the 1970s, the State became increasingly more urbanized. Almost 63 percent of the State's population or approximately 987,500 people resided in urban communities of 2,500 persons or more in 1980 compared to 1970 when 61.5 percent or about 913,500 people lived in urban communities. Over 72 percent of the inhabitants in 1980 lived in State's 535 incorporated communities ranging in population from 2 to 313,911 people.

Average population density in 1980 for Nebraska was 20.5 persons per square mile, but population density varies markedly within the State. Douglas County, containing the city of Omaha, had a population density over 1,190 persons per square mile, while in contrast a few counties in the western part of the state had less than 2 people per square mile.

The demographic trends occurring nationwide were no less apparent in Nebraska as the average person grew older in the 1970s. The State's median age in 1970 was 27.4 years. By 1980 the median age had risen to 29.7 years. The 65 and over age group in 1980 composed 13.1 percent of the population compared to ten years earlier when it made up 12.3 percent of the population. Meanwhile, the age group 18 and under dropped from 34.2 percent of the population in 1970 to 28.5 percent in 1980.

Presented in this section are statistics which review growth, distribution, and characteristics of the Nebraska population. The chief sources of these data are the U.S. Bureau of the Census, and the Nebraska Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics.

NEBRASKA POPULATION



TOTAL POPULATION

Nebraska		Selected Years	
Year	Population	Percent of Total	
		Urban	Rural
1900	1,066,300	23.7	76.3
1910	1,192,214	26.1	73.9
1920	1,296,372	31.3	68.7
1930	1,377,963	35.3	64.7
1940	1,315,834	39.1	60.9
1950	1,325,510	46.9	53.1
1960	1,411,921	54.3	45.7
1970	1,485,333	61.5	38.5
1980	1,569,825	62.9	37.1

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, Census Of Populat'on, 1980.

NET MIGRATION OF THE POPULATION

Nebraska		Selected Years	
Period Covered	Population Change	Natural Increase	Net Migration
1930-1940	-62,129	107,388	-169,517
1940-1950	+ 9,676	144,072	-134,396
1950-1960	+86,411	201,773	-115,362
1960-1970	+72,461	145,161	- 72,700
1970-1980	+84,492	97,289	- 12,616

Note: Net migration is the difference between the population for the end year and the beginning year plus the natural increase births minus deaths for the period. A plus sign (+) indicates inmigration, a minus sign (-) denotes outmigration.

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, Census of Population; Bureau of Business Research, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Business in Nebraska, June, 1981.

NORMAL MONTHLY PRECIPITATION BY REGION
(Inches)

Nebraska								
Month	Panhandle	North Central	North- east	Central	East Central	South- west	South Central	South- east
January	0.40	0.45	0.64	0.48	0.69	0.43	0.51	0.75
February	0.43	0.61	0.90	0.65	0.99	0.47	0.71	1.01
March	0.87	1.04	1.48	1.15	1.55	0.98	1.26	1.74
April	1.69	2.04	2.38	2.18	2.63	1.79	2.16	2.68
May	3.18	3.24	3.86	3.56	3.85	3.18	3.66	4.11
June	3.56	4.07	4.76	4.53	5.14	3.45	4.63	5.49
July	2.37	2.80	3.15	3.11	3.45	3.02	3.23	3.62
August	1.60	2.50	3.15	2.62	3.61	2.16	2.75	3.94
September	1.40	1.98	2.52	2.41	3.08	1.83	2.49	3.64
October	0.96	1.18	1.51	1.27	1.68	1.07	1.35	2.01
November	0.51	0.56	0.80	0.54	0.91	0.55	0.64	1.03
December	0.40	0.49	0.70	0.50	0.78	0.41	0.52	0.88
Annual	17.36	20.97	25.85	22.99	28.37	19.32	23.91	30.90

Note: Normals presented here are based on records for the 30-year period 1941-1970.

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration.
Monthly Average of Temperature and Precipitation for State Climatic Divisions
1941-70.

1980 AVERAGE MONTHLY TEMPERATURES BY REGION
(°F)

Nebraska		1980						
Month	Panhandle	North- Central	North- east	Central	East Central	South- west	South Central	South- east
January	21.5	21.8	22.1	23.1	24.0	24.3	24.4	26.0
February	26.9	24.8	21.2	25.1	22.7	27.1	24.7	23.6
March	32.1	31.8	33.1	34.0	34.5	34.2	34.5	35.8
April	45.6	49.0	51.3	50.8	52.0	48.1	50.9	52.6
May	55.0	58.8	60.8	60.4	62.5	59.0	61.3	63.6
June	68.6	70.4	71.9	72.5	73.4	72.1	73.6	75.1
July	75.2	77.9	78.4	79.7	80.1	79.6	81.1	82.5
August	70.0	73.3	74.8	75.6	76.8	75.3	77.0	78.7
September	62.4	64.8	65.5	66.2	67.4	66.2	67.4	68.6
October	47.7	49.8	50.0	51.1	51.9	51.2	52.5	53.4
November	37.5	39.8	40.2	41.0	42.5	40.5	41.8	43.8
December	33.6	30.0	26.3	31.5	29.1	34.6	32.6	30.7
Annual	48.0	49.4	49.6	50.9	51.4	51.0	51.8	52.9

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration,
Climatological Data, Annual Summary, Nebraska, 1980.

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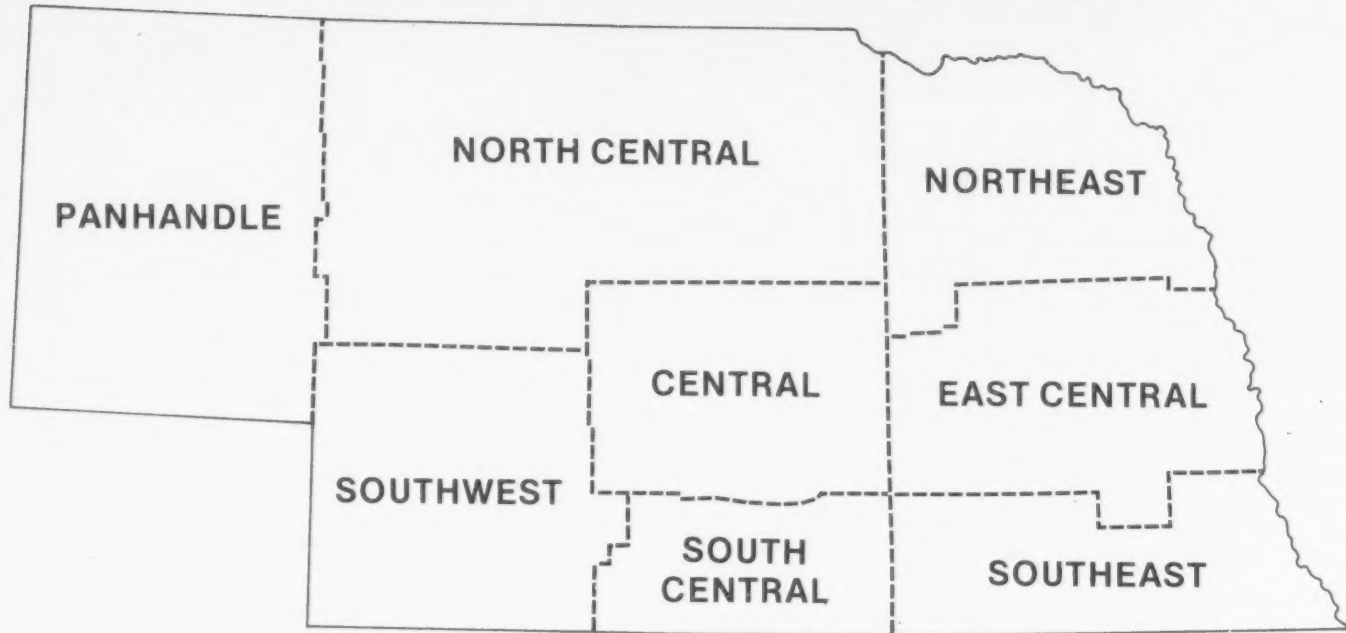
Nebraska

Month	Panhandle	North Central	North- east	Central	East Central	South- west	South Central	South- east
January	24.8	22.2	19.7	23.2	22.4	25.9	25.3	24.3
February	29.0	26.6	24.9	28.2	27.8	30.6	30.7	29.9
March	33.8	33.1	33.8	35.4	36.4	36.4	37.7	38.1
April	46.1	47.5	49.5	49.7	51.4	49.6	51.7	52.5
May	56.1	58.3	60.6	60.2	62.1	59.7	61.9	62.8
June	65.4	67.6	70.2	69.9	71.6	69.3	71.5	72.1
July	73.0	74.3	75.6	75.6	76.8	75.9	77.3	77.3
August	71.5	73.0	73.9	74.4	75.2	74.6	76.0	76.1
September	61.0	62.5	63.7	64.0	65.4	64.4	66.1	66.5
October	50.0	51.7	53.1	53.1	55.1	52.9	55.0	56.1
November	36.1	36.4	37.1	37.8	39.3	38.3	39.5	40.5
December	27.8	26.3	25.0	27.2	27.6	29.3	29.1	29.1
Annual	47.9	48.3	48.9	49.9	50.9	50.6	51.8	52.1

Note: Normals presented here are based on records for the 30-year period 1941-1970.

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration,
Monthly Averages of Temperatures and Precipitation for State Climatic Divisions
1941-70.

NEBRASKA WEATHER BUREAU REGIONS



POPULATION OF NEBRASKA TOWNS

Nebraska			1970 & 1980		
Town	1970	1980	Town	1970	1980
Abie	78	107	Bee	156	192
Adams	463	395	Beemer	699	853
Ainsworth	2,073	2,256	Belden	162	151
Albion	2,074	1,997	Belgrade	210	195
Alda	456	601	Bellevue	21,953	21,813
Alexandria	225	255	Bellwood	361	407
Allen	309	390	Belvidere	162	158
Alliance	6,862	9,929	Benedict	209	228
Alma	1,299	1,369	Benkelman	1,349	1,235
Alvo	151	144	Bennet	489	523
Amherst	259	269	Bennington	683	631
Anoka	25	24	Bertrand	662	775
Anselmo	180	187	Berwyn	110	104
Ansley	631	644	Big Springs	472	505
Arapahoe	1,147	1,107	Bladen	293	298
Arcadia	418	412	Blair	6,106	6,418
Arlington	910	1,117	Bloomfield	1,287	1,393
Arnold	752	813	Bloomington	165	138
Arthur	175	124	Blue Hill	784	883
Ashland	2,176	2,274	Blue Springs	494	521
Ashton	277	273	Boys Town	989	622
Atkinson	1,406	1,521	Bradshaw	347	373
Atlanta	101	102	Brady	311	377
Auburn	3,650	3,482	Brainard	309	275
Aurora	3,180	3,717	Brewster	54	46
Avoca	229	242	Bridgeport	1,490	1,668
Axtell	500	602	Bristow	127	123
Ayr	140	112	Broadwater	141	161
Bancroft	545	552	Brock	192	189
Barada	58	36	Broken Bow	3,734	3,979
Barneston	149	155	Brownville	174	203
Bartlett	140	144	Brule	423	438
Bartley	283	342	Bruning	315	330
Bassett	983	1,009	Bruno	142	154
Battle Creek	771	948	Brunswick	229	190
Bayard	1,338	1,435	Burchard	131	122
Bazile Mills	44	54	Burr	108	101
Beatrice	12,389	2,891	Burton	23	12
Beaver City	802	775	Burwell	1,341	1,383
Beaver Crossing	400	458	Bushnell	211	187

POPULATION OF NEBRASKA TOWNS (Cont'd)

Nebraska			1970 & 1980		
Town	1970	1980	Town	1970	1980
Butte	575	529	Crawford	1,291	1,315
Byron	171	154	Creighton	1,461	1,341
Cairo	686	737	Creston	171	210
Callaway	523	579	Crete	4,444	4,872
Cambridge	1,145	1,206	Crofton	677	948
Campbell	447	441	Crookston	86	86
Carleton	163	160	Culbertson	801	767
Carroll	235	246	Curtis	1,166	1,014
Cedar Bluffs	616	632	Cushing	43	48
Cedar Creek	119	311	Dakota City	1,057	1,440
Cedar Rapids	449	447	Dalton	354	345
Center	111	123	Danbury	137	143
Central City	2,803	3,083	Dannebrog	384	356
Ceresco	474	836	Davenport	427	445
Chadron	5,921	5,933	Davey	163	190
Chambers	321	390	David City	2,380	2,514
Chapman	371	349	Dawson	251	215
Chappell	1,204	1,095	Daykin	192	207
Chester	459	435	Decatur	679	723
Clarks	480	445	Denton	151	164
Clarkson	805	817	Deshler	937	997
Clatonia	224	273	Deweese	86	69
Clay Center	952	962	De Witt	651	642
Clearwater	398	409	Dickens	22	24
Clinton	55	80	Diller	287	311
Cody	246	177	Dix	342	275
Coleridge	608	673	Dixon	128	127
Colon	109	148	Dodge	704	815
Columbus	15,471	17,328	Doniphan	542	696
Comstock	155	168	Dorchester	492	611
Concord	180	145	Douglas	175	207
Cook	328	341	DuBois	185	178
Cordova	141	129	Dunbar	252	216
Cornlea	54	40	Duncan	298	410
Cortland	326	403	Dunning	162	182
Cotesfield	76	82	Dwight	224	221
Cowles	57	48	Eagle	441	812
Cozad	4,225	4,453	Eddyville	128	121
Crab Orchard	96	82	Edgar	707	705
Craig	295	237	Edison	199	210

POPULATION OF NEBRASKA TOWNS (CONT'D)

Nebraska			1970 & 1980		
Town	1970	1980	Town	1970	1980
Elba	211	218	Giltner	408	400
Elgin	917	807	Glenvil	332	363
Elk Creek	151	144	Goehner	113	165
Elkhorn	1,184	1,344	Gordon	2,106	2,167
Elm Creek	798	862	Gothenburg	3,158	3,479
Elmwood	548	598	Grafton	128	185
Elsie	125	133	Grainton	20	20
Elwood	601	716	Grand Island	32,358	33,180
Elyria	55	62	Grant	1,099	1,270
Emerson	850	874	Greeley	580	597
Emmet	70	73	Greenwood	506	587
Endicott	167	198	Gresham	248	320
Ericson	122	132	Gretna	1,557	1,609
Eustis	400	460	Gross	8	2
Ewing	552	520	Guide Rock	318	344
Exeter	759	807	Gurley	233	212
Fairbury	5,265	4,885	Hadar	172	286
Fairfield	487	543	Haigler	237	225
Fairmont	761	767	Hallam	280	290
Falls City	5,444	5,374	Halsey	131	144
Farnam	270	268	Hamlet	64	74
Farwell	172	165	Hampton	387	419
Filley	138	172	Harbine	44	50
Firth	328	384	Hardy	250	232
Fordyce	146	148	Harris	377	361
Fort Calhoun	642	641	Hartington	1,581	1,730
Foster	79	81	Harvard	1,230	1,217
Franklin	1,193	1,167	Hastings	23,580	23,045
Fremont	22,962	23,979	Hayes Center	237	231
Friend	1,126	1,079	Hay Springs	682	794
Fullerton	1,444	1,506	Hazard	72	75
Funk	143	189	Heartwell	104	87
Gandy	50	53	Hebron	1,667	1,906
Garland	244	257	Hemingford	734	1,023
Garrison	60	68	Henderson	901	1,072
Geneva	2,275	2,400	Hendley	58	39
Genoa	1,174	1,090	Henry	147	155
Gering	5,639	7,760	Herman	323	340
Gibbon	1,388	1,531	Hershey	526	633
Gilead	60	69	Hickman	415	687

POPULATION OF NEBRASKA TOWNS (CONT'D)

Nebraska			1970 & 1980		
Town	1970	1980	Town	1970	1980
Hildreth	352	394	Lewiston	88	102
Holbrook	307	297	Lexington	5,654	7,040
Holdrege	5,635	5,624	Liberty	118	105
Holstein	231	241	Lincoln	149,518	171,932
Homer	457	564	Lindsay	291	383
Hooper	895	932	Linwood	108	119
Hordville	147	155	Litchfield	248	256
Hoskins	271	306	Lodgepole	407	413
Howard City	182	228	Long Pine	363	521
Howells	682	677	Loomis	323	447
Hubbard	151	234	Lorton	47	47
Hubbell	83	71	Louisville	1,036	1,022
Humboldt	1,194	1,176	Loup City	1,456	1,368
Humphrey	862	799	Lushton	34	33
Huntley	67	64	Lyman	561	551
Hyannis	345	336	Lynch	375	357
Imperial	1,589	1,941	Lyons	1,177	1,214
Indianola	672	856	McCook	8,285	8,404
Inglewood	275	257	McCool Junction	289	404
Inman	160	181	McGrew	79	110
Ithaca	121	156	McLean	67	46
Jackson	232	287	Madison	1,595	1,950
Jansen	191	204	Madrid	234	284
Johnson	350	341	Magnet	88	59
Johnstown	82	78	Malcolm	132	355
Julian	80	87	Malmo	131	100
Juniata	480	703	Manley	150	124
Kearney	19,181	21,158	Marquette	239	303
Kenesaw	728	854	Marsland	17	27
Kennard	336	372	Martinsburg	73	100
Kilgore	110	76	Maskell	43	76
Kimball	3,680	3,120	Mason City	196	196
Lamar	30	60	Maxwell	282	410
Laurel	1,009	1,031	Maywood	309	332
La Vista	4,858	9,588	Mead	488	506
Lawrence	343	350	Meadow Grove	372	400
Lebanon	118	102	Melbeta	124	151
Leigh	501	509	Memphis	71	89
Leshara	102	133	Merna	322	389
Lewellen	376	368	Merriman	172	159

POPULATION OF NEBRASKA TOWNS (CONT'D)

Nebraska			1970 & 1980		
Town	1970	1980	Town	1970	1980
Milford	1,846	2,108	Octavia	97	127
Miller	130	147	Odell	349	322
Milligan	319	332	Offutt West (CDP)	8,445	8,787
Minatare	939	969	Ogallala	4,976	5,638
Minden	2,669	2,939	Ohioa	156	135
Mitchell	1,842	1,956	Omaha	346,929	313,911
Monowi	16	18	O'Neill	3,753	4,049
Monroe	295	294	Ong	129	104
Moorfield	56	36	Orchard	467	482
Morrill	937	1,097	Ord	2,439	2,658
Morse Bluff	162	132	Orleans	592	527
Mullen	667	720	Osceola	923	975
Murdock	262	242	Oshkosh	1,067	1,057
Murray	286	465	Osmond	883	871
Naper	159	136	Otoe	204	197
Naponee	187	160	Overton	538	633
Nebraska City	7,441	7,127	Oxford	1,116	1,109
Nehawka	298	270	Page	177	172
Neligh	1,764	1,893	Palisade	372	401
Nelson	746	733	Palmer	391	487
Nemaha	207	209	Palmyra	386	512
Nenzel	27	28	Panama	153	160
Newcastle	347	348	Papillion	5,606	6,399
Newman Grove	863	930	Pawnee City	1,267	1,156
Newport	141	141	Paxton	503	568
Nickerson	214	254	Pender	1,229	1,318
Niobrara	602	419	Peru	1,380	998
Nora	43	24	Petersburg	370	381
Norfolk	16,607	19,449	Phillips	341	405
Norman	52	58	Pickrell	118	184
North Bend	1,350	1,368	Pierce	1,360	1,535
North Loup	441	405	Piiler	470	400
North Platte	19,447	24,509	Plainview	1,494	1,483
Oak	100	79	Platte Center	384	367
Oakdale	322	410	Plattsmouth	6,371	6,295
Oakland	1,355	1,393	Pleasant Dale	258	259
Obert	36	44	Pleasanton	261	349
Oconto	155	176	Plymouth	424	506

POPULATION OF NEBRASKA TOWNS (CONT'D)

Nebraska			1970 & 1980		
Town	1970	1980	Town	1970	1980
Polk	413	440	Seward	5,294	5,713
Ponca	984	1,057	Shelby	647	724
Potter	356	369	Shelton	1,028	1,046
Prague	291	285	Shickley	385	413
Preston	64	45	Sholes	22	27
Primrose	88	102	Shubert	240	267
Prosser	70	98	Sidney	6,403	6,010
Ragan	60	71	Silver Creek	483	496
Ralston	4,731	5,143	Smithfield	58	68
Randolph	1,130	1,106	Snyder	383	387
Ravenna	1,356	1,296	South Bend	86	107
Raymond	187	179	South Sioux City	7,920	9,339
Red Cloud	1,531	1,300	Spalding	676	645
Republican City	179	231	Spencer	606	596
Reynolds	115	125	Sprague	119	168
Richland	123	114	Springfield	795	782
Rising City	344	392	Springview	260	326
Riverdale	155	204	Stamford	207	214
Riverton	220	212	Stanton	1,363	1,603
Roca	118	130	Staplehurst	227	306
Rockville	114	116	Stapleton	311	340
Rogers	95	89	Steele City	176	137
Rosalie	204	224	Steinauer	118	108
Roseland	212	254	Stella	282	289
Royal	86	86	Sterling	476	526
Rulo	299	261	Stockham	65	68
Rushville	1,137	1,217	Stockville	61	45
Ruskin	229	224	Strang	47	59
St. Edward	853	891	Stratton	481	499
St. Helena	102	111	Stromsburg	1,215	1,290
St. Paul	2,026	2,094	Stuart	561	641
Salem	214	221	Sumner	222	254
Santee	—	388	Superior	2,779	2,502
Sargent	789	828	Surprise	77	60
Saronville	74	63	Sutherland	840	1,238
Schuyler	3,597	4,151	Sutton	1,361	1,416
Scotia	354	349	Swanton	160	131
Scottsbluff	14,507	14,156	Syracuse	1,562	1,638
Scribner	1,031	1,011	Table Rock	429	393
Seneca	111	90	Talmage	285	246

POPULATION OF COUNTIES

Nebraska

Selected Years

County	1930	1940	1950	1960	1970	1980
Adams	26,275	24,576	28,855	28,944	30,553	30,656
Antelope	15,206	13,289	11,624	10,176	9,047	8,675
Arthur	1,344	1,045	803	680	606	513
Banner	1,676	1,403	1,325	1,269	1,034	918
Blaine	1,584	1,538	1,203	1,016	847	867
Boone	14,738	12,127	10,721	9,134	8,190	7,391
Box Butte	11,861	10,736	12,279	11,688	10,094	13,696
Boyd	7,169	6,060	4,911	4,513	2,752	3,331
Brown	5,772	5,962	5,164	4,436	4,021	4,377
Buffalo	24,338	23,655	25,134	26,636	31,222	34,797
Burt	13,062	12,546	11,536	10,192	9,247	8,813
Butler	14,410	13,106	11,432	10,312	9,461	9,330
Cass	17,684	16,992	16,361	17,821	18,076	20,297
Cedar	16,427	15,126	13,843	13,368	12,192	11,375
Chase	5,484	5,310	5,176	4,317	4,129	4,758
Cherry	10,898	9,637	8,397	8,218	6,846	6,758
Cheyenne	10,187	9,505	12,081	14,828	10,778	10,057
Clay	13,571	10,445	8,700	8,717	8,266	8,106
Colfax	11,434	10,627	10,010	9,595	9,498	9,890
Cuming	14,327	13,562	12,994	12,435	12,034	11,664
Custer	26,189	22,591	19,170	16,517	14,092	13,877
Dakota	9,505	9,836	10,401	12,168	13,137	16,573
Dawes	11,493	10,128	9,708	9,536	9,761	9,609
Dawson	17,875	17,890	19,393	19,405	19,771	22,304
Deuel	3,992	3,580	3,330	3,125	2,717	2,462
Dixon	11,586	10,413	9,129	8,106	7,453	7,137
Dodge	25,273	23,799	26,265	32,471	34,782	35,847
Douglas	232,982	247,562	281,020	343,490	389,455	397,038

POPULATION OF COUNTIES (CONT'D)

Nebraska		Selected Years				
County	1930	1940	1950	1960	1970	1980
Dundy	5,610	5,122	4,354	3,570	2,926	2,861
Fillmore	12,971	11,417	9,610	9,425	8,137	7,920
Franklin	9,094	7,740	7,096	5,449	4,566	4,377
Frontier	8,114	6,417	5,282	4,311	3,982	3,647
Furnas	12,140	10,098	9,385	7,711	6,897	6,486
Gage	30,242	29,588	28,052	26,818	25,719	24,456
Garden	5,099	4,680	4,114	3,472	2,929	2,802
Garfield	3,207	3,444	2,912	2,699	2,411	2,363
Gosper	4,287	3,687	2,734	2,489	2,178	2,140
Grant	1,427	1,327	1,057	1,009	1,019	877
Greeley	8,442	6,845	5,575	4,595	4,000	3,462
Hall	27,117	27,523	32,186	35,757	42,851	47,690
Hamilton	12,159	9,982	8,778	8,714	8,867	9,301
Harlan	8,957	7,130	7,189	5,081	4,357	4,292
Hayes	3,603	2,958	2,404	1,919	1,530	1,356
Hitchcock	7,269	6,404	5,867	4,829	4,051	4,079
Holt	16,509	16,552	14,859	13,722	12,933	13,552
Hooker	1,180	1,253	1,061	1,130	939	990
Howard	10,020	8,422	7,226	6,541	6,807	6,773
Jefferson	16,409	15,532	13,623	11,620	10,436	9,817
Johnson	9,157	8,662	7,251	6,281	5,743	5,285
Kearney	8,094	6,854	6,409	6,580	6,707	7,053
Keith	6,721	8,333	7,449	7,958	8,487	9,364
Keya Paha	3,203	3,235	2,160	1,672	1,340	1,301
Kimball	4,675	3,913	4,283	7,975	6,009	4,882
Knox	19,110	16,478	14,820	13,300	11,723	11,457
Lancaster	100,324	100,585	119,742	155,272	167,972	192,884
Lincoln	25,627	25,425	27,380	28,491	29,538	36,455

POPULATION OF COUNTIES (CONT'D)

Nebraska				Selected Years		
County	1930	1940	1950	1960	1970	1980
Logan	2,014	1,742	1,357	1,108	991	983
Loup	1,818	1,777	1,348	1,097	854	859
McPherson	1,358	1,175	825	735	623	593
Madison	26,037	24,269	24,338	25,674	27,402	31,382
Merrick	10,619	9,354	8,812	8,363	8,751	8,945
Morrill	9,950	9,436	8,263	7,057	5,813	6,085
Nance	8,718	7,653	6,512	5,635	5,142	4,740
Nemaha	12,356	12,781	10,973	9,099	8,976	8,367
Nuckolls	12,629	10,446	9,609	8,217	7,404	6,726
Otoe	19,901	18,994	17,056	16,503	15,576	15,183
Pawnee	9,423	8,514	6,744	5,356	4,473	3,937
Perkins	5,834	5,197	4,809	4,189	3,423	3,637
Phelps	9,261	8,452	9,048	9,800	9,553	9,769
Pierce	11,080	10,211	9,405	8,722	8,493	8,481
Platte	21,181	20,191	19,910	23,992	26,544	28,852
Polk	10,092	8,748	8,044	7,272	6,468	6,320
Red Willow	13,859	11,951	12,977	12,940	12,191	12,615
Richardson	19,826	19,178	16,886	13,903	12,277	11,315
Rock	3,366	3,977	3,026	2,554	2,231	2,383
Saline	16,356	15,010	14,046	12,542	12,809	13,131
Sarpy	10,402	10,835	15,693	31,281	66,200	86,015
Saunders	20,167	17,892	16,923	17,270	17,018	18,716
Scotts Bluff	28,644	33,917	33,939	33,809	36,432	38,344
Seward	15,938	14,167	13,155	13,581	14,460	15,789
Sheridan	10,793	9,869	9,539	9,049	7,285	7,544
Sherman	9,122	7,764	6,421	5,382	4,725	4,226
Sioux	4,667	4,001	3,124	2,575	2,034	1,845
Stanton	7,809	6,887	6,387	5,783	5,758	6,549

POPULATION OF COUNTIES (CONT'D)

Nebraska				Selected Years		
County	1930	1940	1950	1960	1970	1980
Thayer	13,684	12,262	10,563	9,118	7,779	7,582
Thomas	1,510	1,553	1,206	1,078	954	973
Thurston	10,462	10,243	8,590	7,237	6,942	7,186
Valley	9,533	8,163	7,252	6,590	5,783	5,633
Washington	12,095	11,578	11,511	12,103	13,310	15,508
Wayne	10,566	9,880	10,129	9,959	10,400	9,858
Webster	10,210	8,071	7,395	6,224	5,396	4,858
Wheeler	2,335	2,170	1,526	1,297	1,051	1,060
York	17,239	14,874	14,346	13,724	13,685	14,609
Nebraska	1,377,963	1,315,834	1,325,510	1,411,921	1,483,791	1,569,825

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, Census of Population, decennial years.

POPULATION OF NEBRASKA TOWNS (CONT'D)

Nebraska			1970 & 1980		
Town	1970	1980	Town	1970	1980
Tamora	93	50	Wallace	241	349
Tarnov	63	63	Walthill	897	847
Taylor	240	273	Washington	76	113
Tecumseh	2,058	1,926	Waterbury	81	92
Tekamah	1,848	1,886	Waterloo	455	450
Terrytown	747	727	Wauneta	738	746
Thayer	78	70	Wausa	720	647
Thedford	303	313	Waverly	1,152	1,726
Thurston	117	139	Wayne	5,379	5,240
Tilden	947	1,012	Weeping Water	1,143	1,109
Tobias	124	138	Wellfleet	51	83
Trenton	770	796	Western	344	336
Trumbull	220	216	Weston	285	286
Uehling	249	273	West Point	3,385	3,609
Ulysses	312	270	Whitney	82	72
Unadilla	271	291	Wilber	1,483	1,624
Union	275	307	Wilcox	280	379
Upland	205	192	Wilsonville	266	189
Utica	602	689	Winnebago	675	902
Valentine	2,662	2,829	Winnetoon	84	82
Valley	1,595	1,716	Winside	453	439
Valparaiso	415	484	Winslow	145	143
Venango	218	230	Wisner	1,315	1,335
Verdel	74	72	Wolbach	366	301
Verdigre	570	617	Wood Lake	117	89
Verdon	265	278	Wood River	1,147	1,334
Virginia	83	90	Wymore	1,790	1,841
Waco	214	225	Wynot	226	222
Wahoo	3,835	3,555	York	6,778	7,723
Wakefield	1,160	1,125	Yutan	507	631

(CDP) Census Designated Place

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, Census of Population, 1970, 1980.

NET MIGRATION OF THE POPULATION BY COUNTY

Nebraska

1960 to 1980

County	1960 to 1970		1970 to 1980	
	Net Migration(1)	% of 1960 Population	Net Migration(1)	% of 1970 Population
Adams	- 313	- 1.1	- 861	- 2.8
Antelope	-1,553	-15.3	- 654	- 7.2
Arthur	- 128	-18.8	- 122	-20.1
Banner	- 316	-24.9	- 192	-18.6
Blaine	- 249	-24.5	- 26	- 3.1
Boone	-1,466	-16.0	- 988	-12.1
Box Butte	-2,355	-20.1	+2,880	+28.5
Boyd	- 960	-21.3	- 406	-10.8
Brown	- 568	-12.8	+ 238	+ 5.9
Buffalo	+2,615	+10.0	+1,004	+ 3.2
Burt	-1,250	-12.3	- 373	- 4.0
Butler	-1,213	-11.8	- 205	- 2.2
Cass	-1,529	- 8.6	+ 898	+ 5.0
Cedar	-2,601	-19.5	-1,870	-15.3
Chase	- 373	- 8.6	+ 440	+10.7
Cherry	-2,207	-26.8	- 540	- 7.9
Cheyenne	-5,435	-36.7	-1,132	-10.5
Clay	- 669	- 7.7	- 442	- 5.3
Colfax	- 384	- 4.0	+ 263	+ 2.8
Cuming	-1,360	-10.9	- 842	- 7.0
Custer	-2,932	-17.8	- 460	- 3.3
Dakota	- 828	- 6.8	+1,684	+12.8
Dawes	- 355	- 3.7	- 576	- 5.9
Dawson	-1,533	- 7.9	+ 990	+ 5.0
Deuel	- 513	-16.4	- 239	- 8.8
Dixon	- 962	-11.9	- 478	- 6.4
Dodge	-1,128	- 3.5	- 798	- 2.3
Douglas	-8,116	- 2.4	-26,555	- 6.8
Dundy	- 693	-19.4	- 42	- 1.4
Fillmore	-1,435	-15.2	- 60	- 0.7
Franklin	- 797	-14.6	+ 34	+ 0.7

NET MIGRATION OF THE POPULATION BY COUNTY (CONT'D)

Nebraska		1960 to 1980		
County	1960 to 1970		1970 to 1980	
	Net Migration(1)	% of 1960 Population	Net Migration(1)	% of 1970 Population
Frontier	- 484	-11.2	- 453	-11.4
Furnas	- 795	-10.3	- 149	- 2.2
Gage	-1,854	- 6.9	-1,363	- 5.3
Garden	- 657	-18.9	- 90	- 3.1
Garfield	- 406	-15.0	- 7	- 0.3
Gosper	- 389	-15.6	- 140	- 6.4
Grant	- 121	-12.0	- 226	-22.2
Greeley	- 817	-17.8	- 583	-14.6
Hall	+3,199	+ 8.9	+1,554	+ 3.6
Hamilton	- 288	- 3.3	+ 71	+ 0.8
Harlan	- 805	-15.8	+ 68	+ 1.6
Hayes	- 480	-25.0	- 265	-17.3
Hitchcock	- 922	-19.1	- 82	- 2.0
Holt	-2,054	-15.0	- 166	- 1.3
Hooker	- 238	-21.1	+ 57	+ 6.1
Howard	- 185	- 2.8	- 283	- 4.2
Jefferson	-1,202	-10.3	- 461	- 4.4
Johnson	- 711	-11.3	- 412	- 7.2
Kearney	- 96	- 1.5	+ 137	+ 2.0
Keith	- 503	- 6.3	+ 222	+ 2.6
Keya Paha	- 448	-26.8	- 144	-10.7
Kimball	-3,094	-38.8	-1,491	-24.8
Knox	-2,264	-17.0	- 345	- 2.9
Lancaster	-9,371	- 6.0	+11,060	+ 6.6
Lincoln	-1,606	- 5.6	+3,922	+13.3
Logan	- 160	-14.4	- 95	- 9.6
Loup	- 287	-26.2	- 8	- 0.9
McPherson	- 154	-21.0	- 68	-10.9
Madison	- 269	- 1.1	+2,374	+ 8.7
Merrick	- 249	- 3.0	- 276	- 3.2
Morrill	-1,683	-23.8	+ 54	+ 0.9

NET MIGRATION OF THE POPULATION BY COUNTY (CONT'D)

Nebraska		1960 to 1980		
County	1960 to 1970		1970 to 1980	
	Net Migration(1)	% of 1960 Population	Net Migration(1)	% of 1970 Population
Nance	- 713	-12.7	- 477	- 9.3
Nemaha	- 286	- 3.1	- 740	- 8.2
Nuckolls	-1,038	-12.6	- 664	- 9.0
Otoe	-1,616	- 9.8	- 500	- 3.2
Pawnee	- 721	-13.5	- 328	- 7.3
Perkins	- 968	-23.1	+ 59	+ 1.7
Phelps	- 725	- 7.4	- 26	- 0.3
Pierce	- 805	- 9.2	- 316	- 3.7
Platte	- 895	- 3.8	- 322	- 1.2
Polk	- 878	-12.2	- 120	- 1.9
Red Willow	-1,980	-15.3	- 186	- 1.5
Richardson	-1,775	-12.8	- 533	- 4.3
Rock	- 507	-19.9	+ 70	+ 3.1
Saline	+ 225	+ 1.8	+ 430	+ 3.4
Sarpy	+24,017	+76.8	+7,720	+11.7
Saunders	-1,194	- 6.9	+1,172	+ 6.9
Scotts Bluff	-1,720	- 5.1	-1,302	- 3.6
Seward	+1,606	+11.8	+ 676	+ 4.7
Sheridan	-2,262	-25.0	- 27	- 0.4
Sherman	- 985	-18.3	- 565	-12.0
Sioux	- 657	-25.5	- 287	-14.1
Stanton	- 426	- 7.4	+ 337	+ 5.9
Thayer	-1,331	-14.6	- 48	- 0.6
Thomas	- 165	-15.3	- 30	- 3.1
Thurston	-1,197	-16.5	- 236	- 3.4
Valley	- 939	-14.2	- 136	- 2.4
Washington	+ 483	+ 4.0	+1,462	+11.0
Wayne	- 334	- 3.4	- 894	- 8.6
Webster	- 745	-12.0	- 262	- 4.9
Wheeler	- 380	-29.3	- 73	- 6.9
York	- 648	- 4.7	+ 496	+ 3.6
Nebraska	-72,700	- 5.2	-12,616	- 0.8

(1) Net Migration is the difference between the population for the end year and the beginning year plus the natural increase (births minus deaths) for the period. A plus sign (+) indicates immigration, a minus sign (-) denotes outmigration.

Source: Bureau of the Census, Census of Population, 1960 and 1970, data computed; and Bureau of Business Research, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Business in Nebraska, June 1981.

POPULATION BY AGE AND COLOR

Nebraska				1980
Sex and Age	Total	White	Black	Spanish Origin(1)
TOTAL Persons	1,569,825	1,493,828	48,400	28,577
Male	765,277	728,233	23,202	14,605
Female	804,548	765,595	25,198	13,972
Under 5 Years	122,706	114,359	5,216	4,066
5-14 Years	239,192	223,374	10,065	6,377
15-59 Years	932,015	884,780	29,653	16,815
60-64 Years	71,225	69,662	1,254	284
65 Years & Over	204,657	201,653	2,212	1,035

(1) Persons of Spanish origin may be of any race.

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1980 Census of Population and Housing, Supplementary Report: Provisional Estimates of Social, Economic, and Housing Characteristics.

PROJECTED POPULATION BY AGE
(Medium Series)

Nebraska		1970-2000		
Age Group	1970	1980	1990	2000
All Ages	1,485,333	1,582,422	1,678,771	1,748,163
Under 5	120,450	122,398	129,203	117,979
5- 9	147,540	119,207	130,886	121,753
10-14	153,248	119,521	121,850	128,667
15-19	143,337	147,671	118,577	130,245
20-24	114,901	150,868	118,330	120,713
25-29	89,230	143,433	145,748	117,141
30-34	78,119	117,840	148,934	116,887
35-39	77,971	87,951	141,484	143,824
40-44	81,418	76,826	115,605	146,196
45-49	81,068	75,905	85,314	137,375
50-54	75,987	77,804	73,208	110,260
55-59	71,793	75,617	70,472	79,246
60-64	66,862	68,270	69,472	65,381
65-69	56,342	60,850	63,779	59,580
70-74	48,828	52,138	53,030	54,036
75 & Over	78,239	86,087	92,879	98,880
Under 18	508,412	448,105	450,974	444,259

Source: University of Nebraska, Bureau of Business Research,
Nebraska Population Projections II, 1976.

PROJECTED POPULATION BY COUNTY
(Medium Series)

Nebraska				1970-2000
County	1970	1980	1990	2000
Adams	30,553	32,293	33,869	35,196
Antelope	9,047	8,345	8,340	8,281
Arthur	606	557	575	579
Banner	1,034	929	925	918
Blaine	847	811	807	802
Boone	8,190	7,611	7,640	7,630
Box Butte	10,094	9,465	9,529	9,453
Boyd	3,752	3,365	3,285	3,199
Brown	4,021	3,734	3,686	3,663
Buffalo	31,222	34,510	36,400	38,575
Burt	9,247	8,429	8,251	8,050
Butler	9,461	8,674	8,554	8,434
Cass	18,076	19,210	20,461	21,458
Cedar	12,192	10,988	11,293	11,490
Chase	4,129	3,827	3,812	3,788
Cherry	6,846	6,405	6,422	6,423
Cheyenne	10,778	10,327	10,607	10,642
Clay	8,266	8,165	8,248	8,228
Colfax	9,498	9,313	9,350	9,418
Cuming	12,034	11,976	12,132	12,231
Custer	14,092	12,979	12,798	12,670
Dakota	13,137	15,494	17,160	18,396
Dawes	9,761	10,078	10,218	10,549
Dawson	19,771	20,445	21,270	21,667
Deuel	2,717	2,496	2,415	2,354
Dixon	7,453	6,831	6,782	6,714
Dodge	34,782	38,935	42,123	44,178
Douglas	389,455	428,936	457,825	472,501
Dundy	2,926	2,660	2,543	2,429
Fillmore	8,137	7,506	7,426	7,288
Franklin	4,566	4,033	3,831	3,623
Frontier	3,982	3,709	3,656	3,579
Furnas	6,897	6,130	5,867	5,627
Gage	25,731	25,193	25,879	26,452
Garden	2,929	2,697	2,638	2,572
Garfield	2,411	2,202	2,141	2,081
Gosper	2,178	2,001	2,000	1,936
Grant	1,019	937	976	994
Greeley	4,000	3,644	3,688	3,716
Hall	42,851	47,709	51,286	54,211
Hamilton	8,867	9,051	9,389	9,610

PROJECTED POPULATION BY COUNTY (CONT'D)
(Medium Series)

Nebraska		1970-2000		
County	1970	1980	1990	2000
Harlan	4,357	3,926	3,808	3,679
Hayes	1,530	1,406	1,403	1,371
Hitchcock	4,051	3,681	3,615	3,492
Holt	12,933	12,127	12,262	12,367
Hooker	939	969	966	953
Howard	6,807	6,764	6,873	6,973
Jefferson	10,436	9,623	9,396	9,130
Johnson	5,743	5,273	5,165	5,059
Kearney	6,707	6,760	6,918	7,023
Keith	8,487	8,816	9,275	9,489
Keya Paha	1,340	1,292	1,283	1,268
Kimball	6,009	5,478	5,692	5,813
Knox	11,723	10,705	10,659	10,514
Lancaster	167,972	198,917	223,716	248,481
Lincoln	29,538	32,499	34,712	36,332
Logan	991	1,017	1,010	1,012
Loup	854	894	887	878
McPherson	623	616	605	597
Madison	27,402	30,384	32,457	33,840
Merrick	8,751	8,946	9,298	9,584
Morrill	5,813	5,462	5,463	5,373
Nance	5,142	4,634	4,545	4,484
Nemaha	8,976	8,618	8,641	8,795
Nuckolls	7,404	6,806	6,726	6,613
Otoe	15,576	15,566	15,806	15,798
Pawnee	4,473	3,897	3,720	3,538
Perkins	3,423	3,166	3,108	2,972
Phelps	9,553	9,724	10,017	10,159
Pierce	8,493	8,475	8,646	8,641
Platte	26,544	28,731	31,271	33,133
Polk	6,468	5,923	5,776	5,636
Red Willow	12,191	12,473	12,762	12,852
Richardson	12,277	11,152	10,766	10,447
Rock	2,231	2,083	2,067	2,065
Saline	12,809	13,351	13,624	13,841
Sarpy	66,200	81,929	95,107	105,365
Saunders	17,018	17,502	18,255	18,780
Scotts Bluff	36,432	39,620	42,695	44,869
Seward	14,460	15,351	15,987	16,680
Sheridan	7,285	6,790	6,811	6,723
Sherman	4,725	4,332	4,299	4,288

POPULATION CHANGE, 1970-1980



NET GAIN
 OVER 20%
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 UNDER 10%

NET LOSS
 UNDER 10%
 10-20%
 OVER 20%

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POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX

Nebraska

1970 and 1980

Age	1970			1980		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
All Ages	1,485,333	725,431	759,902	1,569,825	765,894	803,931
Under 5 Years	120,482	61,324	59,158	122,946	62,703	60,243
5-9 Years	147,622	75,012	72,612	118,045	60,399	57,646
10-14 Years	153,355	78,564	74,791	120,907	61,803	59,104
15-19 Years	143,442	71,510	71,932	147,249	74,437	72,812
20-24 Years	114,943	55,318	59,625	148,734	74,697	74,037
25-29 Years	89,262	44,409	44,853	134,794	67,366	67,428
30-34 Years	78,149	38,688	39,461	114,407	57,398	57,009
35-44 Years	159,456	78,863	80,593	163,477	81,674	82,100
45-54 Years	157,162	77,519	79,643	150,653	73,975	76,678
55-59 Years	71,837	34,628	37,209	75,104	36,566	38,538
60-64 Years	66,917	31,760	35,157	67,528	31,490	36,038
65-74 Years	105,229	46,769	58,460	114,021	50,455	63,566
75-84 Years	61,920	25,432	36,488	67,919	25,514	42,406
85 Years & Over	15,557	5,635	9,922	23,744	7,417	16,327
Under 18 Years	508,713	259,035	249,678	447,170	228,450	218,720
65 Years & Over	182,706	77,836	104,870	205,684	83,386	122,298
Median Age	27.4	26.2	28.6	29.7	28.6	30.9

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, Census of Population, 1970, 1980.

PROJECTED POPULATION BY COUNTY (CONT'D)
(Medium Series)

Nebraska				1970-2000
County	1970	1980	1990	2000
Sioux	2,034	1,926	1,950	1,926
Stanton	5,758	5,862	6,087	6,296
Thayer	7,779	7,040	6,862	6,652
Thomas	954	969	973	980
Thurston	6,942	6,666	6,900	7,078
Valley	5,783	5,273	5,139	5,014
Washington	13,310	15,681	17,527	18,296
Wayne	10,400	10,841	11,059	11,533
Webster	5,396	4,812	4,633	4,460
Wheeler	1,051	1,054	1,057	1,072
York	13,685	14,020	14,408	14,505

Source: University of Nebraska, Bureau of Business Research,
Nebraska Population Projections II, 1976.

NATURAL INCREASE IN POPULATION

Nebraska		1951-1980	
Year	Births	Deaths	Increase
1951	33,595	12,880	20,715
1952	33,809	13,056	20,753
1953	32,633	13,298	19,335
1954	33,617	12,741	20,876
1955	34,087	13,001	21,086
1956	33,855	13,161	20,694
1957	33,161	13,797	19,364
1958	32,935	13,680	19,255
1959	34,162	13,887	20,275
1960	34,257	14,071	20,186
Decade Total	336,111	133,572	202,539
1961	34,544	13,812	20,732
1962	33,886	14,305	19,581
1963	32,624	14,657	17,967
1964	30,727	14,758	15,969
1965	27,829	14,799	13,030
1966	25,618	14,799	10,819
1967	24,259	14,465	9,794
1968	24,236	15,017	9,219
1969	24,801	14,898	9,903
1970	25,877	15,016	10,861
Decade Total	284,401	146,526	137,875
1971	25,507	15,182	10,325
1972	23,473	15,540	7,933
1973	22,771	14,977	7,794
1974	23,695	15,016	8,679
1975	23,658	14,569	9,089
1976	23,767	14,536	9,231
1977	25,158	14,316	10,842
1978	25,103	14,408	10,695
1979	26,199	14,228	11,971
1980	27,335	14,465	12,870
Decade Total	246,666	147,237	99,429

Source: State Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, Statistical Report, 1980.

BIRTHS AND DEATHS BY COUNTY

Nebraska

1980

County	Births	Deaths	County	Births	Deaths
Adams	455	308	Jefferson	133	103
Antelope	177	102	Johnson	67	86
Arthur	6	5	Kearney	95	54
Banner	17	4	Keith	165	95
Blaine	13	12	Keya Paha	19	13
Boone	128	87	Kimball	101	38
Box Butte	298	130	Knox	190	150
Boyd	51	43	Lancaster	3,061	1,337
Brown	63	50	Lincoln	709	281
Buffalo	597	302	Logan	20	11
Burt	123	134	Loup	15	10
Butler	148	122	McPherson	13	6
Cass	397	182	Madison	612	291
Cedar	246	131	Merrick	155	102
Chase	87	49	Morrill	115	76
Cherry	135	75	Nance	77	68
Cheyenne	166	129	Nemaha	133	112
Clay	124	97	Nuckolls	108	99
Colfax	158	123	Otoe	219	179
Cuming	182	116	Pawnee	49	59
Custer	219	159	Perkins	65	57
Dakota	328	143	Phelps	165	105
Dawes	170	84	Pierce	149	96
Dawson	388	244	Platte	604	271
Deuel	35	43	Polk	85	78
Dixon	122	78	Red Willow	211	138
Dodge	568	369	Richardson	164	160
Douglas	7,147	3,292	Rock	40	17
Dundy	33	53	Saline	195	166
Fillmore	122	125	Sarpy	1,801	290
Franklin	60	67	Saunders	286	189
Frontier	62	33	Scotts Bluff	689	376
Furnas	104	108	Seward	277	138
Gage	350	302	Sheridan	138	99
Garden	50	49	Sherman	72	46
Garfield	36	26	Sioux	22	10
Gosper	31	26	Stanton	127	45
Grant	16	4	Thayer	122	103
Greeley	63	40	Thomas	20	10
Hall	840	443	Thurston	186	84
Hamilton	170	85	Valley	98	75
Harlan	71	45	Washington	234	144
Hayes	18	10	Wayne	146	84
Hitchcock	77	45	Webster	64	69
Holt	273	144	Wheeler	14	6
Hooker	18	7	York	246	134
Howard	117	80			
			Nebraska	27,335	14,465

Source: State Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics,
Statistical Report, 1980.

SECTION C

LABOR FORCE
& EMPLOYMENT

POPULATION DENSITY

Nebraska

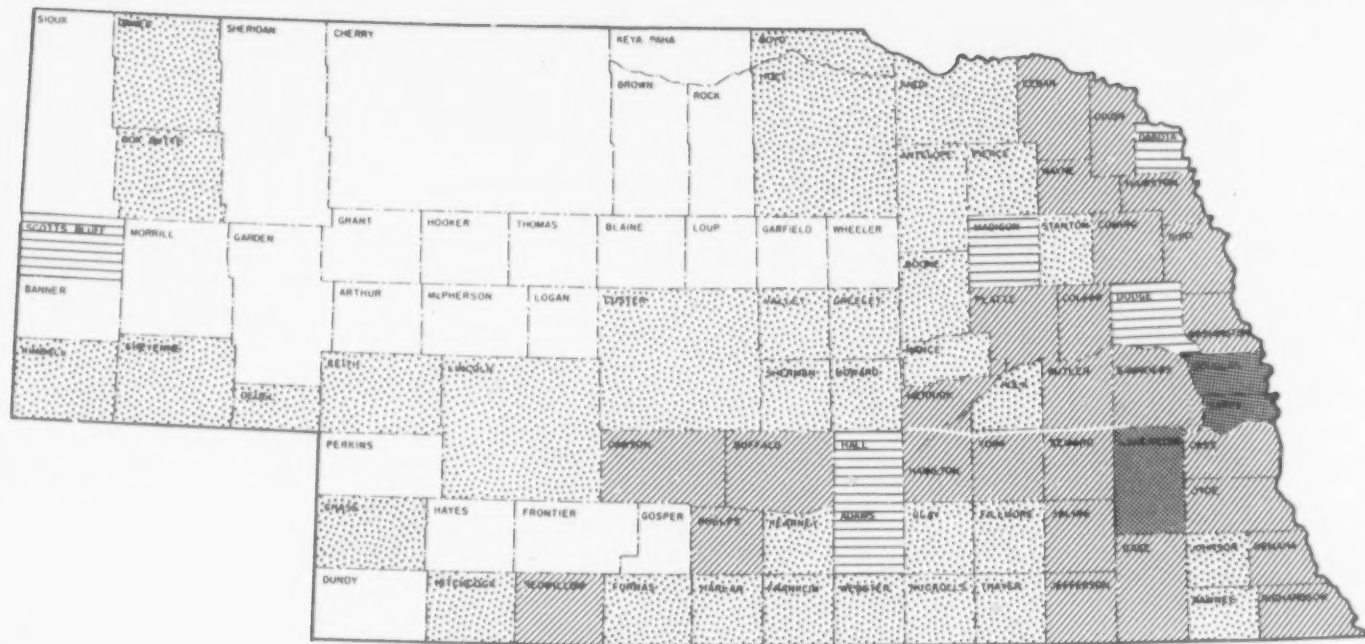
County	Population per Square Mile					County	Selected Years				
	1940	1950	1960	1970	1980		1940	1950	1960	1970	1980
Adams	43.7	51.3	51.5	54.4	54.4	Douglas	739.0	838.9	1,027.3	1,169.5	1,192.3
Antelope	15.6	13.6	11.9	10.6	10.1	Dundy	5.6	4.7	3.9	3.2	3.1
Arthur	1.5	1.1	1.0	0.9	0.7	Fillmore	19.8	16.7	16.3	14.1	13.8
Banner	1.9	1.8	1.7	1.4	1.2	Franklin	13.4	12.3	9.4	7.9	7.6
Blaine	2.2	1.7	1.4	1.2	1.2	Frontier	6.7	5.5	4.5	4.1	3.7
Boone	17.8	15.7	13.4	12.0	10.8	Furnas	14.0	13.0	10.7	9.6	9.0
Box Butte	10.1	11.5	11.0	9.5	12.7	Gage	34.5	32.7	31.3	30.0	28.5
Boyd	11.3	9.2	8.4	7.0	6.3	Garden	2.8	2.4	2.1	1.4	1.7
Brown	4.9	4.3	3.7	3.3	3.6	Garfield	6.1	5.1	4.7	4.2	4.1
Buffalo	24.9	26.5	27.7	32.8	36.8	Gosper	8.0	5.9	5.4	4.7	4.6
Burt	26.0	23.9	21.1	19.1	18.1	Grant	1.7	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.1
Butler	22.5	19.6	17.7	16.3	16.0	Greeley	12.0	9.8	8.1	7.0	6.1
Cass	30.6	29.5	32.1	32.6	36.4	Hall	51.4	60.1	66.7	79.4	88.8
Cedar	20.4	18.7	18.0	16.4	15.4	Hamilton	18.6	16.4	16.2	16.4	17.2
Chase	6.0	5.8	4.9	4.6	5.3	Harlan	12.8	12.9	5.1	7.9	7.7
Cherry	1.6	1.4	1.4	1.1	1.1	Hayes	4.2	3.4	2.7	2.2	1.9
Cheyenne	8.0	10.2	12.5	9.1	8.4	Hitchcock	9.0	8.2	6.8	5.7	5.8
Clay	18.3	15.3	15.3	14.5	14.1	Holt	6.9	6.2	5.7	5.4	5.6
Colfax	26.2	24.7	23.6	23.5	24.1	Hooker	1.7	1.5	1.6	1.3	1.4
Cuming	23.8	22.8	21.8	21.1	20.3	Howard	14.9	12.8	11.6	12.0	12.0
Custer	8.8	7.5	6.5	5.5	5.4	Jefferson	26.9	23.6	20.1	18.1	17.1
Dakota	38.6	40.8	47.7	51.5	64.2	Johnson	23.0	19.2	16.7	15.2	14.1
Dawes	7.3	7.0	6.9	7.0	6.9	Kearney	13.4	12.5	12.9	13.1	13.6
Dawson	18.4	19.9	19.9	20.0	22.7	Keith	8.1	7.2	7.4	7.9	9.0
Deuel	8.2	7.7	7.2	6.3	5.6	Keya Paha	4.2	2.8	2.2	1.7	1.7
Dixon	21.9	19.2	17.0	15.5	15.1	Kimball	4.1	4.5	8.4	6.3	5.1
Dodge	45.1	49.7	61.5	65.8	67.1	Knox	14.9	13.4	12.0	10.6	10.4

POPULATION DENSITY (CONT'D)

Nebraska						Selected Years					
Population per Square Mile						Population per Square Mile					
County	1940	1950	1960	1970	1980	County	1940	1950	1960	1970	1980
Lancaster	119.0	141.7	183.8	198.8	229.9	Rock	3.9	3.0	2.5	2.2	2.4
Lincoln	10.1	10.9	11.3	11.7	14.4	Saline	26.1	24.4	21.8	22.3	22.8
Logan	3.1	2.4	1.9	1.7	1.7	Sarpy	45.3	65.7	132.6	280.5	361.4
Loup	3.1	2.4	1.9	1.5	1.5	Saunders	23.6	22.3	22.8	22.5	24.9
McPherson	1.4	1.0	0.9	0.7	0.7	Scotts Bluff	46.7	46.8	46.6	50.2	52.9
Madison	42.4	42.6	44.9	47.9	44.6	Seward	24.8	23.0	23.8	25.3	27.5
Merrick	19.5	18.4	17.9	18.7	18.7	Sheridan	4.0	3.9	3.7	3.0	3.1
Morrill	6.7	5.9	5.0	4.1	4.3	Sherman	13.6	11.3	9.4	8.3	7.5
Nance	17.4	14.8	12.8	11.7	10.8	Sioux	1.9	1.5	1.3	1.0	0.9
Nemaha	32.0	27.4	22.8	22.5	20.5	Stanton	16.0	14.8	13.4	13.4	15.2
Nuckolls	18.0	16.6	14.2	12.8	11.7	Thayer	21.3	18.3	15.8	13.5	13.2
Otoe	30.7	27.6	26.8	25.2	24.7	Thomas	2.2	1.7	1.5	1.3	1.4
Pawnee	19.7	15.6	12.4	10.3	9.1	Thurston	26.4	22.1	18.7	17.9	18.4
Perkins	5.9	5.4	4.7	3.9	4.1	Valley	14.4	12.8	11.6	10.2	9.9
Phelps	15.5	16.6	18.0	17.5	18.1	Washington	30.0	29.8	31.3	34.4	40.2
Pierce	17.8	16.4	15.2	14.8	14.7	Wayne	22.3	22.9	22.5	23.5	22.3
Platte	30.3	29.9	36.0	39.5	43.1	Webster	14.0	12.9	10.8	9.4	8.4
Polk	20.3	18.6	16.8	14.9	14.5	Wheeler	3.8	2.7	2.3	1.8	1.8
Red Willow	16.7	18.1	18.1	17.0	17.6	York	25.8	24.9	23.8	23.7	25.7
Richardson	34.9	30.7	25.3	22.4	20.5	NEBRASKA	17.2	17.3	18.5	19.4	20.5

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, Census of Population, decennial.

POPULATION DENSITY, 1980



PERSONS PER SQUARE MILE



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BIRTHS, DEATHS, MARRIAGES AND DIVORCES
AND RATE PER 1,000 POPULATION

Nebraska								Selected Years	
Year	Estimated Population	Births		Deaths		Marriages		Divorces	
		Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
1925	1,355,257	29,179	21.5	12,475	9.2	8,085	6.0	1,336	1.0
1930	1,377,963	27,006	19.6	13,280	9.6	10,248	7.4	1,635	1.2
1935	1,364,000	23,326	17.1	13,179	9.7	12,402	9.1	2,167	1.6
1940	1,315,834	22,153	16.8	12,593	9.6	15,977	12.1	2,028	1.5
1945	1,198,482	24,292	20.3	12,446	10.0	10,358	8.6	3,176	2.7
1950	1,325,510	31,713	23.9	12,548	9.5	13,828	10.4	2,471	1.9
1955	1,369,000	34,087	24.9	13,001	9.5	11,892	8.7	2,350	1.7
1960	1,411,330	34,257	24.3	14,071	10.0	10,635	7.5	2,092	1.5
1965	1,477,000	27,829	18.8	14,799	10.0	12,069	8.2	2,448	1.7
1970	1,483,791	25,877	17.4	15,016	10.1	15,666	10.6	3,629	2.4
1971	1,512,000	25,507	16.9	15,182	10.0	15,080	9.9	3,946	2.6
1972	1,525,000	23,473	15.4	15,540	10.2	14,106	9.2	4,326	2.8
1973	1,542,000	22,771	14.8	14,977	9.7	13,957	9.1	4,849	3.1
1974	1,543,000	23,695	15.4	15,016	9.7	13,873	9.0	5,114	3.3
1975	1,542,000	23,658	15.3	14,569	9.4	13,087	8.5	5,504	3.6
1976	1,553,000	23,767	15.3	14,536	9.4	13,431	8.6	5,788	3.7
1977	1,561,155	25,158	16.1	14,316	9.2	13,387	8.6	6,047	3.9
1978	1,565,390	25,103	16.0	14,408	9.2	13,711	8.8	5,945	3.8
1979	1,573,946	26,199	16.6	14,228	9.0	14,074	8.9	6,220	4.0
1980	1,570,006	27,335	17.4	14,465	9.2	14,239	9.1	6,368	4.1

Source: State Department of Health, Statistical Report, 1980.

SECTION C

LABOR FORCE AND EMPLOYMENT

Nonagricultural wage and salary employment, the major employment category in the state, increased by 137,200 persons (30 percent) between 1970 and 1981. The unemployment rate for Nebraska for 1981 was 4.1 percent, but was well below the 7.6 percent nationwide.

The changing distribution of employment in Nebraska is of particular interest. For example, in 1960, 26 percent of all jobs were on farms, but by 1970 the proportion of agricultural employment had dropped to around 15 percent. In 1981, agricultural employment accounted for 10 percent of total employment, while wage and salary employment accounted for about 80 percent, and all other employment accounted for 10 percent of the total. Within the broad industry groups, wage and salary employment in wholesale-retail trade increased from 120,300 in 1970 to 162,500 in 1981, personal services employment increased from 82,300 to 120,900, and government employment increased from 101,200 to 130,500.

Presented in this section are statistics dealing with the Nebraska working population. Items covered include an industry breakdown of employment, employment data for counties, and selected data on hours and earnings of manufacturing employees. The source for these data is the Nebraska Department of Labor.

COUNTY LABOR FORCE SUMMARY
(Annual Average)

Nebraska					1981
County	Labor Force	Total Employment	Unemployment		Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment(1)
			Number	Rate	
Adams	15,800	15,400	395	2.5	13,210
Antelope	4,050	3,940	110	2.8	2,030
Arthur	250	240	10	4.0	80
Banner	340	340	2	0.6	110
Blaine	330	320	9	2.8	120
Boone	3,880	3,770	110	2.8	1,570
Box Butte	8,800	7,870	920	10.4	5,830
Boyd	1,530	1,500	40	2.4	650
Brown	1,920	1,870	50	2.7	1,220
Buffalo	19,170	18,590	580	3.0	13,760
Burt	3,690	3,520	170	4.6	1,740
Butler	3,920	3,770	140	3.7	1,680
Cass	7,820	7,390	430	5.4	3,290
Cedar	4,880	4,680	200	4.1	2,130
Chase	2,260	2,240	20	0.9	1,430
Cherry	3,060	2,980	80	2.7	1,400
Cheyenne	4,630	4,470	160	3.5	3,240
Clay	3,700	3,610	90	2.4	2,100
Colfax	5,170	5,020	150	2.9	3,400
Cuming	5,750	5,600	150	2.6	2,930
Custer	6,010	5,920	90	1.5	3,400
Dakota	7,870	7,440	430	5.5	7,870
Dawes	4,120	3,980	140	3.4	2,810
Dawson	11,180	10,780	400	3.6	7,980
Deuel	1,070	1,050	20	1.6	650
Dixon	3,680	3,610	70	2.0	1,680
Dodge	18,180	17,290	890	4.9	13,030
Dundy	1,120	1,100	20	1.4	560
Fillmore	3,480	3,400	80	2.2	2,120
Franklin	1,790	1,760	20	1.2	810

AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT

Nebraska		1950-1981					
Year	Total Labor Force	Employment				Unemployment	
		Nonagricultural			Agricultural	Number	Rate
		Total	Wage & Salary	All Other			
1950	608,500	590,600	319,250	73,950	197,400	17,750	2.9
1955	618,700	600,800	354,950	74,750	171,100	17,750	2.9
1960	630,400	613,000	381,200	71,800	160,000	17,200	2.7
1965	631,400	611,300	415,800	68,200	127,300	19,500	3.1
1966	634,200	617,500	431,300	65,800	120,400	16,500	2.6
1967	640,900	624,900	446,500	64,300	114,100	15,700	2.5
1968	644,700	629,000	456,300	62,700	110,000	15,400	2.4
1969	658,500	642,900	472,000	63,300	107,600	14,600	2.2
1970 ⁽¹⁾	631,700	612,300	454,000	68,600	89,700	19,400	3.1
1971	644,000	620,500	459,500	70,000	91,000	23,600	3.6
1972	666,300	643,800	483,900	81,400	88,500	22,500	3.4
1973	688,900	666,200	504,700	71,700	89,800	22,700	3.3
1974	719,500	688,600	528,100	72,500	88,000	30,900	4.3
1975	706,000	663,200	510,500	71,000	81,700	42,800	6.1
1976	717,100	680,900	527,100	71,600	82,200	36,200	5.0
1977 ⁽²⁾	750,000	722,000	564,800	79,700	77,500	28,000	3.7
1978	772,000	749,000	594,500	70,400	74,000	23,000	2.9
1979	771,000	747,000	595,600	78,900	72,600	24,000	3.2
1980	763,000	732,000	583,900	76,000	72,000	31,000	4.1
1981	773,000	741,000	591,200	76,500	73,300	32,000	4.1

(1) Data for 1970 and later are based on a Labor Force concept rather than the Work Force used previously, and are not strictly comparable with data for previous years.

(2) Data for 1977 and later are not comparable to prior years because of changes in the method of estimating the labor force.

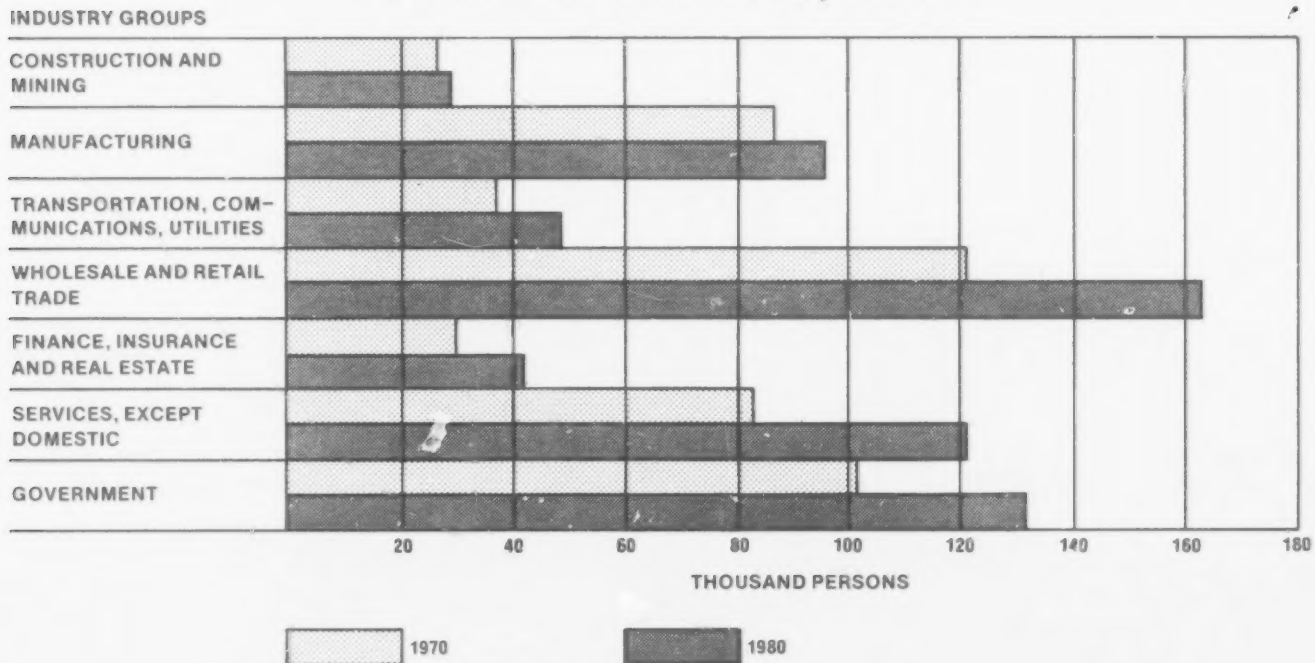
Source: Nebraska Department of Labor, Division of Research and Statistics.

ESTIMATED NONAGRICULTURAL WAGE AND SALARY
EMPLOYMENT BY TYPE

Nebraska	Selected Years					
	1960	1965	1970	1975	1980	1981
Nonag Wage and Salary	381,200	415,800	481,300	554,300	630,200	625,100
Mining	2,700	2,000	1,600	1,600	1,700	1,700
Construction	24,400	23,700	24,800	27,300	28,900	26,300
Manufacturing	66,800	69,000	85,200	85,400	96,200	94,900
Transportation, Commu- ications & Utilities	37,600	36,100	36,800	39,500	47,500	47,100
Trade	93,600	103,000	120,300	141,900	164,700	162,500
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	22,600	25,500	29,100	33,900	42,200	41,200
Services	55,400	67,300	82,300	100,000	117,800	120,900
Government	78,000	89,300	101,200	124,700	131,100	130,500

Source: Nebraska Department of Labor, Division of Research and Statistics.

NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT DISTRIBUTION BY INDUSTRY 1970, 1980



DETAILED NONAGRICULTURAL WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT

Nebraska		1981	
Industry	Annual Average	Industry	Annual Average
Mining	1,700	Retail Trade	114,500
Construction	26,300	Building Supply & Farm Equip.	5,900
Manufacturing	94,900	General Merchandise	15,200
Durable Goods	48,500	Food	16,100
Construction Material	4,700	Automotive Dealers & Gasoline	14,700
Furniture & Fixtures	1,600	Apparel	6,600
Metals	8,600	Furniture	4,000
Machinery & Equipment	27,900	Eating & Drinking Places	39,500
Other Durable Goods	5,800	Misc. Retail Stores	12,700
Nondurable Goods	46,500	Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	41,200
Food Products	27,100	Banking	10,900
Meat	14,800	Insurance	19,500
Dairy	1,600	Real Estate	4,100
Grain Milling	4,400	Services, Except Domestic	120,900
Other Food	6,200	Hotels & Lodgings	6,600
Textile Products & Apparel	2,300	Personal	6,200
Printing & Publishing	8,100	Business	18,000
Chemicals	2,700	Auto Repair & Garages	3,700
Other Nondurable Goods	6,300	Amusement & Recreation	6,200
Transport., Commun. & Utilities	47,100	Health & Social	50,000
Railroads	15,700	Educational & Organizations	18,000
Other Transportation	14,700	Other	12,200
Communications & Utilities	16,700	Government	130,500
Trade	162,500	Federal	16,600
Wholesale Trade	48,100	State	32,200
		Local	81,700
		Total Employment	625,100

Source: Nebraska Department of Labor, Division of Research and Statistics.

COUNTY LABOR FORCE SUMMARY (CONT'D)
(Annual Averages)

Nebraska					1981
County	Labor Force	Total Employment	Unemployment		Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (1)
			Number	Rate	
Frontier	1,710	1,690	20	1.2	710
Furnas	2,790	2,740	50	1.8	1,710
Gage	11,160	10,800	350	3.2	8,670
Garden	960	940	20	2.1	550
Garfield	1,360	1,320	30	2.5	570
Gosper	960	940	20	1.6	400
Grant	350	350	5	1.1	160
Greeley	1,480	1,450	30	2.0	670
Hall	23,860	22,880	990	4.1	22,050
Hamilton	4,750	4,620	130	2.7	2,350
Harlan	2,360	2,330	40	1.5	1,050
Hayes	520	500	10	1.6	140
Hitchcock	1,730	1,690	40	2.3	860
Holt	5,500	5,350	150	2.8	3,340
Hooker	440	430	10	2.7	240
Howard	2,580	2,500	80	3.0	1,080
Jefferson	4,810	4,660	150	3.0	3,210
Johnson	2,420	2,300	120	5.0	1,550
Kearney	3,180	3,110	70	2.0	2,040
Keith	4,680	4,560	120	2.6	3,470
Keya Paha	420	410	10	1.9	120
Kimball	2,600	2,530	80	3.0	1,750
Knox	4,780	4,610	170	3.6	2,330
Lancaster	110,470	106,250	4,230	3.8	99,310
Lincoln	18,220	16,710	1,520	8.3	13,720
Logan	520	510	10	1.3	160
Loup	240	230	10	3.7	50
McPherson	140	140	10	4.1	50
Madison	17,180	16,590	600	3.5	14,300
Merrick	3,150	3,020	130	3.5	1,800
Morrill	2,200	2,140	70	3.0	1,190

COUNTY LABOR FORCE SUMMARY (CONT'D)
(Annual Averages)

Nebraska					1981
County	Labor Force	Total Employment	Unemployment		Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (1)
			Number	Rate	
Nance	1,780	1,700	80	4.4	830
Nemaha	3,250	3,060	190	5.9	2,230
Nuckolls	3,200	3,120	80	2.3	1,930
Otoe	7,300	6,940	360	4.9	4,730
Pawnee	1,860	1,800	60	3.3	720
Perkins	1,660	1,650	10	0.8	830
Phelps	4,810	4,740	80	1.6	3,800
Pierce	3,940	3,820	130	3.2	1,620
Platte	15,100	14,500	600	4.0	12,660
Polk	2,950	2,870	70	2.5	1,350
Red Willow	5,450	5,240	210	3.8	4,990
Richardson	4,430	4,160	270	6.1	2,830
Rock	1,230	1,210	20	1.8	640
Saline	6,680	6,570	110	1.6	4,820
Saunders	7,220	6,890	330	4.5	3,160
Scotts Bluff	19,340	18,590	760	3.9	14,230
Seward	6,500	6,340	160	2.5	4,420
Sheridan	3,180	3,100	80	2.5	1,900
Sherman	2,120	2,060	70	3.1	1,780
Sioux	750	740	10	1.1	170
Stanton	4,050	3,970	80	2.0	1,100
Thayer	3,350	3,280	70	2.0	2,100
Thomas	390	380	10	2.8	210
Thurston	3,480	3,210	270	7.8	1,970
Valley	2,500	2,420	70	2.8	1,370
Washington	5,610	5,350	260	4.5	3,730
Wayne	4,670	4,570	110	2.3	2,430
Webster	1,890	1,850	40	1.9	990
Wheeler	410	400	10	2.5	140
York	7,900	7,700	200	2.5	5,260
Omaha SMSA (2)	281,230	265,610	15,620	5.6	264,320
NEBRASKA	763,000	732,000	31,000	4.1	625,100

(1) Nonagricultural Wage and Salary Employment is by place of employment, while Labor Force, Total Employment, and Unemployment are by place of residence.

(2) Omaha SMSA includes Douglas and Sarpy Counties, Nebraska and Pottawattamie County, Iowa.

Source: Nebraska Department of Labor, Division of Research and Statistics.

AVERAGE HOURS AND EARNINGS
OF MANUFACTURING PRODUCTION WORKERS

Nebraska		Selected Years	
Year	Weekly Earnings	Weekly Hours	Hourly Earnings
1960	\$ 87.41	42.0	\$ 2.08
1965	103.67	43.1	2.40
1970	134.79	42.0	3.21
1971	140.62	41.6	3.38
1972	147.59	41.6	3.55
1973	155.51	41.5	3.75
1974	166.77	41.1	4.06
1975	183.56	40.7	4.51
1976	202.57	41.1	4.93
1977	219.91	40.8	5.39
1978	239.61	41.1	5.83
1979	269.69	41.3	6.53
1980	298.08	40.5	7.36

Source: Nebraska Department of Labor; U.S. Department of Labor, Employment and Earnings.

AVERAGE HOURS AND EARNINGS
OF PRODUCTION WORKERS BY INDUSTRY

Nebraska		1980	
Type of Employer	Weekly Earnings	Weekly Hours	Hourly Earnings
Manufacturing	\$298.08	40.5	\$7.36
Durable Goods	292.32	40.6	7.20
Lumber, Stone, Clay, Glass	254.34	40.5	6.28
Metals	298.26	39.4	7.57
Machinery & Trans. Equip.	317.60	41.3	7.69
Nondurable Goods	307.34	40.6	7.57
Food & Kindred Products	337.74	41.8	8.08
Meat	363.54	41.5	8.76
Dairy	209.76	36.8	5.70
Grain Mill	425.35	48.5	8.77
Bakery	245.62	34.4	7.14
Printing & Publishing	256.74	37.7	6.81
Chemicals & Allied Products	306.31	44.2	6.93

Source: U.S. Department of Labor, Supplement to Employment and Earnings, States and Areas, Data for 1977-80.

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX
(1967=100)

United States						1957-1981
Year	All Items	Food	Shelter	Fuels & Utilities	Apparel	Trans- portation
1957	84.3	84.9	83.4	89.9	87.3	83.3
1958	86.6	88.5	85.1	91.7	87.5	86.0
1959	87.3	87.1	86.0	93.8	88.2	89.6
1960	88.7	88.0	87.8	95.9	89.6	89.6
1961	89.6	89.1	88.5	97.1	90.4	90.6
1962	90.6	89.9	89.6	97.3	90.9	92.5
1963	91.7	91.2	90.7	98.2	91.9	93.0
1964	92.9	92.4	92.2	98.4	92.7	94.3
1965	94.5	94.4	93.8	98.3	93.7	95.9
1966	97.2	99.1	96.8	98.8	96.1	97.2
1967	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1968	104.2	103.6	104.8	101.3	105.4	103.0
1969	109.8	108.9	113.3	103.6	111.5	106.5
1970	116.3	114.9	123.6	107.6	116.1	111.1
1971	121.3	118.4	128.8	115.0	119.8	116.6
1972	125.3	123.5	134.5	120.1	122.3	117.5
1973	133.1	141.4	140.7	126.9	126.8	123.8
1974	147.7	161.7	154.3	150.2	136.2	137.7
1975	161.2	175.4	169.7	167.8	142.3	150.6
1976	170.5	180.8	179.0	182.7	147.6	165.5
1977	181.5	192.2	191.1	202.2	154.2	177.2
1978U	195.4	211.4	210.4	216.0	159.6	185.5
1979U	217.4	234.5	227.6	239.3	166.6	212.0
1980U	246.8	254.6	263.3	278.6	178.4	249.7
1981U	272.4	274.6	293.5	319.2	186.9	280.0

U - All Urban Consumers

Source: U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Consumer Price Index.

SECTION D

PERSONAL INCOME
& STATE PRODUCT

SECTION D

PERSONAL INCOME & STATE PRODUCT

Nebraska's total personal income was \$14,300 million in 1980, a 156 percent increase over the 1970 total. The major source of personal income in 1980 was wage and salary payments, accounting for 58 percent of the total. The sectors of manufacturing, wholesale and retail trade, and government made the majority of wage and salary payments; about 60 percent in 1980. Dividends, interest, and rent were the second largest source of income in 1980, comprising roughly 22 percent of total personal income. Transfer payments exceeded proprietors income in 1980 and became the third largest source of income, contributing about 12 percent of the total. Proprietors income was the fourth largest source, with farm and nonfarm proprietors income making up 1 percent and 7 percent of the total, respectively.

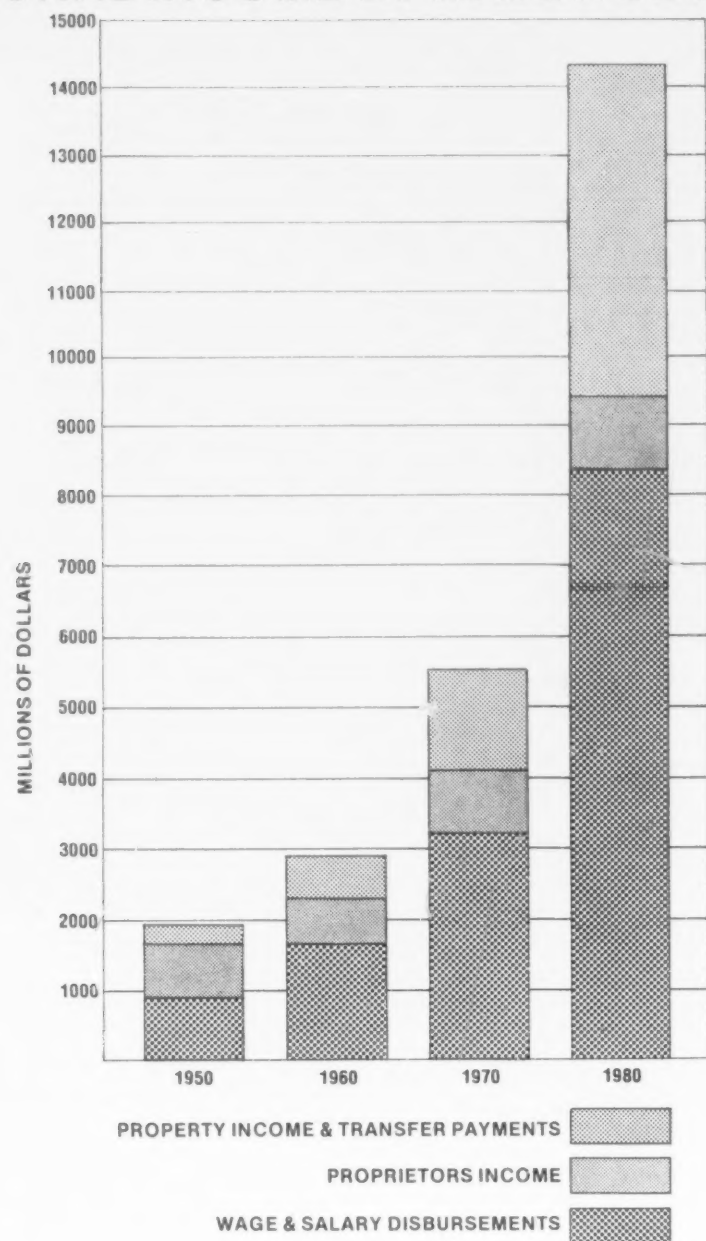
Per capita income in Nebraska grew 175 percent between 1970 and 1981. The same rate of growth was experienced by the Plains States,* while per capita income in the U.S. grew 167 percent from 1970 to 1981. Nebraska's per capita income in 1981 was \$10,296. This was slightly above the Plains average of \$10,286, and somewhat under the U.S. average of \$10,517.

Nebraska's gross state product grew 161 percent from 1970 to 1980, totaling \$17,487.3 million in 1980. The sectors with the greatest rate of output growth from 1970 to 1980 included mining (228 percent), transportation, communications, and utilities (220 percent), and services (199 percent).

Statistical series on personal income presented in this section provide a basis for evaluating economic progress and for reviewing the changing structure of the Nebraska economy. This information includes published data from the Survey of Current Business and unpublished data provided by the U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis, Regional Economics Division.

*The Plains Region contains seven states: Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota, Iowa, Kansas, Missouri, and Nebraska.

PERSONAL INCOME BY MAJOR SOURCES



PERSONAL INCOME BY MAJOR SOURCE
(Millions of Dollars)

Nebraska					Selected Years	
					Less:	
Year	Total	Wages & Salaries	Proprietors Income	Property Income	Transfer Payments	Social Insur.
1930	713	350	238	109	16	1
1935	552	267	203	64	18	1
1940	578	303	180	73	25	4
1945	1,407	735	517	124	46	14
1950	1,978	913	751	233	100	19
1955	2,191	1,292	482	332	118	33
1960	2,847	1,680	617	417	200	72
1961	2,915	1,762	556	439	221	73
1962	3,159	1,851	679	461	232	76
1963	3,265	1,911	643	533	245	83
1964	3,364	2,012	590	576	253	88
1965	3,761	2,092	790	665	274	90
1966	4,040	2,241	886	691	303	117
1967	4,238	2,421	804	741	365	140
1968	4,529	2,656	751	792	420	149
1969	5,248	2,957	995	941	451	172
1970	5,578	3,232	927	988	523	188
1971	5,974	3,455	972	1,047	594	212
1972	6,785	3,784	1,230	1,203	653	232
1973	8,104	4,206	1,788	1,460	765	288
1974	8,278	4,682	1,255	1,590	880	337
1975	9,310	5,011	1,687	1,645	1,073	359
1976	9,618	5,630	1,138	1,765	1,146	381
1977	10,489	6,155	1,160	1,963	1,233	406
1978	11,832	6,853	1,453	2,213	1,353	462
1979	13,672	7,697	1,871	2,671	1,500	545
1980	14,300	8,334	1,127	3,134	1,742	601

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis, Personal Income by States Since 1929; Survey of Current Business; and unpublished data.

PERSONAL INCOME BY DETAILED SOURCE
(Millions of Dollars)

Nebraska		1976-1980			
Item	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980
Wage & Salary Disbursements	5,630	6,155	6,854	7,697	8,334
Other Labor Income	450	510	576	666	772
Proprietors Income	1,138	1,160	1,453	1,871	1,127
Farm	440	435	660	947	145
Nonfarm	697	724	793	923	982
Dividends, Interest & Rent	1,765	1,963	2,213	2,671	3,134
Transfer Payments	1,146	1,233	1,353	1,500	1,742
Less Social Insurance-by place of work	381	406	462	544	601
Residence Adjustment	-131	-126	-154	-188	-209
Total Personal Income	9,618	10,489	11,832	13,672	14,300
Labor & Proprietors Income by Industry					
Farm	579	592	820	1,135	356
Mining	33	35	29	37	43
Construction	534	586	657	684	639
Manufacturing	1,145	1,243	1,401	1,612	1,744
Wholesale & Retail Trade	1,410	1,511	1,631	1,852	2,027
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	444	508	577	651	734
Transportation & Public Utilities	700	774	908	1,057	1,146
Services	1,038	1,120	1,265	1,453	1,647
Other Industries	29	33	37	42	47
Government Wages & Salaries	1,307	1,423	1,557	1,709	1,849
Federal Civilian	240	255	271	297	316
State & Local	906	981	1,083	1,201	1,306

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis, Survey of Current Business.

COUNTY PERSONAL INCOME
(Thousands of Dollars)

Nebraska				Selected Years			
County	1940	1950	1959	1970	1978	1979	1980
Adams	8,537	36,478	59,092	117,339	236,099	273,786	290,853
Antelope	4,230	11,484	9,857	24,653	63,153	79,881	62,237
Arthur	654	1,461	331	1,436	3,568	3,960	3,620
Banner	498	5,806	3,522	3,951	7,995	5,215	8,186
Blaine	564	2,187	2,034	2,296	4,232	5,590	5,528
Boone	2,130	12,431	12,001	22,571	50,841	63,979	52,212
Box Butte	4,683	25,038	23,406	35,186	84,360	95,345	109,207
Boyd	1,527	6,276	5,201	9,250	18,878	23,242	23,573
Brown	2,121	6,996	7,482	14,277	30,404	33,362	32,078
Buffalo	7,433	29,763	42,950	97,741	234,325	274,887	288,563
Burt	5,280	16,151	17,450	31,896	37,225	51,520	34,252
Butler	3,093	13,166	14,823	31,409	59,919	75,465	69,617
Cass	6,140	20,002	26,136	63,679	145,310	168,046	171,594
Cedar	5,459	19,552	15,993	26,478	66,945	84,584	77,391
Chase	2,121	8,464	7,217	16,259	37,230	46,144	40,897
Cherry	5,639	17,219	19,222	23,025	40,906	50,852	53,806
Cheyenne	4,613	29,529	30,995	35,178	77,071	81,848	100,779
Clay	2,419	10,877	15,508	33,801	62,413	74,104	64,467
Colfax	2,905	13,569	14,731	32,315	67,166	80,905	75,694
Cuming	4,316	18,097	19,116	36,593	86,503	111,206	92,705
Custer	6,604	26,552	25,963	50,468	86,008	105,074	100,593
Dakota	(1)	(1)	(1)	44,416	108,723	122,446	130,089
Dawes	4,371	16,108	15,979	29,018	54,025	61,995	70,411
Dawson	7,597	32,665	38,763	81,177	160,245	187,776	193,565
Deuel	1,803	6,232	6,049	13,760	22,069	22,828	27,377
Dixon	3,921	11,442	11,405	21,736	43,894	53,513	45,586

COUNTY PERSONAL INCOME (CONT'D)
(Thousands of Dollars)

Nebraska	Selected Years						
County	1940	1950	1959	1970	1978	1979	1980
Dodge	9,299	40,014	59,771	134,255	284,455	331,188	346,720
Douglas	(1)	(1)	(1)	1,719,253	3,484,948	3,935,228	4,345,582
Dundy	1,993	7,113	6,044	10,646	22,550	29,341	25,387
Fillmore	3,108	11,169	17,486	34,316	69,106	81,380	72,059
Franklin	1,871	7,961	8,680	17,199	31,110	35,680	34,282
Frontier	1,550	9,050	6,519	12,728	23,425	28,651	26,142
Furnas	2,586	12,519	13,761	22,914	42,211	47,787	51,041
Gage	11,498	35,740	41,714	85,286	173,061	201,925	212,880
Garden	2,361	7,670	5,461	9,700	19,142	20,620	23,039
Garfield	939	4,070	4,113	6,878	14,309	17,236	17,755
Gosper	584	5,211	3,900	8,161	14,944	18,391	14,443
Grant	1,497	3,114	4,155	4,065	6,005	7,445	7,267
Greeley	1,309	6,468	5,703	11,235	21,290	26,614	22,007
Hall	15,183	54,626	78,608	167,622	355,552	440,723	441,931
Hamilton	2,531	14,251	19,117	34,206	67,467	80,447	67,172
Harlan	1,767	9,877	7,033	15,757	29,730	33,466	33,558
Hayes	773	3,119	3,150	4,292	5,364	6,526	7,380
Hitchcock	1,523	7,612	8,148	13,059	27,157	29,877	33,990
Holt	4,679	16,275	16,593	34,667	80,145	98,505	89,348
Hooker	436	1,528	1,892	2,842	5,903	7,242	8,120
Howard	1,835	8,240	7,980	21,642	42,289	51,738	46,169
Jefferson	5,862	17,780	19,010	33,501	66,207	76,662	80,922
Johnson	2,804	8,205	7,566	18,250	33,591	38,225	37,908
Kearney	2,268	11,235	16,683	29,369	63,239	71,646	61,460
Keith	3,874	13,132	15,858	32,267	73,828	83,125	88,996
Keya Paha	1,142	3,853	2,336	3,553	5,386	5,857	6,244

COUNTY PERSONAL INCOME (CONT'D)
(Thousands of Dollars)

Nebraska					Selected Years		
County	1940	1950	1959	1970	1978	1979	1980
Kimball	1,603	9,542	18,176	21,801	44,322	45,313	56,053
Knox	4,817	20,719	16,389	27,350	62,788	77,347	68,549
Lancaster	57,606	184,823	350,622	674,545	1,528,424	1,725,750	1,896,903
Lincoln	11,742	41,002	54,419	106,920	282,016	314,440	326,078
Logan	617	1,641	2,062	2,890	5,479	7,013	7,266
Loup	507	1,710	2,075	2,534	3,706	4,577	4,116
McPherson	475	1,271	1,315	1,924	2,747	4,194	4,280
Madison	8,545	31,509	43,802	91,255	240,314	293,783	303,562
Merrick	3,069	11,844	12,961	30,591	56,885	66,872	63,299
Morrill	3,381	13,512	10,411	16,856	33,635	41,242	45,406
Nance	1,750	9,253	7,859	13,390	27,468	34,007	28,708
Nemaha	5,067	13,406	13,638	33,053	57,593	65,149	64,418
Nuckolls	3,205	13,087	12,683	22,615	42,700	49,481	48,335
Otoe	7,035	21,450	23,684	57,652	110,668	124,463	127,067
Pawnee	2,687	7,880	6,767	13,551	26,468	30,384	30,020
Perkins	2,359	8,811	8,529	14,521	34,460	35,424	40,797
Phelps	2,912	14,993	19,805	33,304	85,281	97,705	94,353
Pierce	3,006	12,161	10,415	19,974	55,854	70,262	60,208
Platte	6,156	28,935	59,599	108,104	224,954	281,665	270,488
Polk	2,133	11,592	14,246	24,787	47,352	57,751	48,771
Red Willow	4,644	19,484	25,034	42,165	92,269	105,470	115,185
Richardson	8,159	22,417	23,303	44,932	72,295	87,479	86,372
Rock	1,372	4,635	4,498	6,246	21,384	17,959	17,178
Saline	4,750	17,515	19,414	45,746	96,436	114,471	120,549
Sarpy	(1)	(1)	(1)	225,408	514,038	593,230	639,464
Saunders	6,796	21,093	23,616	56,510	124,248	156,856	149,289
Scotts Bluff	14,118	48,689	62,396	131,219	284,656	313,009	340,239

COUNTY PERSONAL INCOME (CONT'D)
(Thousands of Dollars)

Nebraska	Selected Years						
County	1940	1950	1959	1970	1978	1979	1980
Seward	3,732	17,066	18,123	45,435	97,923	113,414	109,829
Sheridan	4,370	15,291	16,702	23,272	44,927	52,571	59,670
Sherman	1,413	7,423	6,394	13,455	26,263	32,123	29,839
Sioux	1,952	5,120	4,803	5,218	7,204	9,777	10,401
Stanton	1,759	8,307	8,539	13,005	39,923	50,952	42,264
Thayer	3,449	13,772	13,929	25,894	56,498	63,948	62,890
Thomas	465	1,797	1,788	2,586	6,269	7,795	8,328
Thurston	2,946	11,794	7,548	21,015	42,150	53,331	48,293
Valley	1,963	8,452	9,029	17,881	36,894	43,952	41,289
Washington	4,759	19,864	18,847	49,881	111,434	133,906	133,317
Wayne	2,904	13,352	13,159	26,092	58,310	74,910	67,520
Webster	1,864	8,432	8,424	16,776	30,655	35,164	36,615
Wheeler	532	1,707	1,711	2,233	5,492	7,053	5,505
York	4,044	19,090	27,962	51,410	112,742	135,233	128,956
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Areas ⁽²⁾							
Lincoln	57,606	184,823	350,622	674,545	1,528,424	1,725,750	1,896,903
Omaha	212,477	619,109	1,088,045	2,263,000	4,656,100	5,243,100	5,749,100
Sioux City	78,447	200,774	270,985	432,800	954,700	1,021,000	1,093,600

(1) Data for individual county not available apart from SMSA total.

(2) The Lincoln SMSA includes Lancaster County; the Omaha SMSA includes Douglas and Sarpy Counties, Nebraska and Pottawattamie County, Iowa; and the Sioux City SMSA includes Dakota County, Nebraska and Woodbury County, Iowa.

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis.

COUNTY PERSONAL INCOME BY MAJOR SOURCES
(Thousand Dollars)

Nebraska								1980
County	Total Personal Income	Wage & Salary Income	Other Labor Income	Proprietors Income		Dividends Interest & Rent	Transfer Payments	Less: Social Insurance
				Farm	Nonfarm			
Adams	290,853	158,687	15,686	-4,145	19,258	75,447	38,688	11,660
Antelope	62,237	21,717	1,844	4,966	5,448	20,253	9,431	1,769
Arthur	3,620	1,607	78	192	292	2,286	935	57
Banner	8,186	2,796	110	1,425	484	2,352	487	68
Blaine	5,528	1,882	101	289	408	1,940	864	100
Boone	52,212	15,810	1,390	4,783	3,766	17,762	8,456	1,293
Box Butte	109,207	57,469	4,838	6,949	7,252	25,198	11,484	4,618
Boyd	23,573	6,362	607	3,223	2,409	7,087	4,767	612
Brown	32,078	12,828	1,042	668	2,921	10,760	4,861	930
Buffalo	288,563	167,620	18,659	-8,116	21,272	68,540	33,369	12,046
Burt	68,918	22,510	1,830	3,865	4,631	22,793	11,873	1,717
Butler	69,617	18,708	1,577	-1,307	4,382	26,616	10,979	1,532
Cass	171,594	43,799	4,061	9,991	8,620	31,395	23,158	3,695
Cedar	74,391	21,512	8,901	10,131	5,126	21,783	11,378	1,773
Chase	40,897	18,515	1,398	1,531	3,763	11,936	5,340	1,278
Cherry	53,806	21,925	2,391	1,253	4,992	18,390	6,670	1,337
Cheyenne	100,779	46,112	4,434	11,955	7,616	22,610	12,800	3,414
Clay	64,467	27,611	2,136	-4,453	4,675	23,227	9,937	1,880
Colfax	75,694	44,090	4,610	-6,192	5,592	27,419	11,961	3,295
Cuming	92,705	37,337	3,503	5,138	7,189	28,806	10,966	2,830
Custer	100,593	39,781	3,459	-4,863	8,856	39,199	16,777	3,064
Dakota	130,089	110,357	12,244	-1,197	6,921	17,579	16,472	7,620
Dawes	70,411	31,550	2,375	2,761	5,326	18,437	10,997	2,426
Dawson	193,565	108,478	13,104	-5,206	17,036	49,463	22,036	7,843
Deuel	27,377	9,324	638	2,620	2,705	8,953	3,952	711

COUNTY PERSONAL INCOME BY MAJOR SOURCES (CONT'D)
(Thousand Dollars)

Nebraska							1980	
County	Total	Wage &	Other	Proprietors Income		Dividends	Transfer	Less:
	Personal	Salary	Labor	Farm	Nonfarm	Interest & Rent		Payments
Dixon	45,586	17,290	1,569	-1,373	2,861	14,166	7,920	1,277
Dodge	346,720	174,642	17,095	4,864	25,241	76,132	43,620	13,326
Douglas	4,345,582	3,275,715	315,852	455	296,217	721,659	474,426	233,038
Dundy	25,387	6,708	507	2,919	1,644	9,807	3,824	526
Fillmore	72,059	24,499	1,914	2,480	5,284	28,945	9,158	1,896
Franklin	34,282	8,771	676	670	4,222	13,428	5,992	875
Frontier	26,142	8,924	662	1,494	1,583	9,247	3,821	616
Furnas	51,041	17,348	1,537	413	4,391	19,268	10,372	1,500
Gage	212,880	97,125	8,882	8,078	12,113	53,426	32,562	6,838
Garden	23,039	7,031	471	1,798	2,071	7,713	3,697	498
Garfield	17,755	6,142	574	0	1,741	6,347	3,292	548
Gosper	14,443	5,142	291	-2,135	790	6,558	2,193	273
Grant	7,267	2,800	145	- 273	888	2,868	1,034	- 51
Greeley	22,007	6,570	512	1,024	1,641	7,628	4,152	520
Hall	441,931	288,389	27,438	-9,227	28,104	99,855	58,412	20,775
Hamilton	67,172	29,948	2,673	-8,309	5,390	25,144	9,075	2,215
Harlan	33,558	11,626	1,003	- 86	2,845	11,620	5,429	919
Hayes	7,380	2,519	132	818	645	2,252	940	120
Hitchcock	33,990	11,332	1,034	2,389	2,312	11,191	5,419	801
Holt	89,348	39,022	3,417	663	8,446	28,074	13,772	2,864
Hooker	8,120	2,366	175	272	491	3,275	1,302	174
Howard	46,169	13,066	1,010	1,029	4,000	15,901	7,336	1,152
Jefferson	80,922	38,654	3,515	836	5,399	23,998	12,592	3,075
Johnson	37,908	14,460	1,555	1,516	3,365	11,789	6,620	1,181
Kearney	61,460	23,959	2,143	-1,535	4,048	22,473	7,168	1,612
Keith	88,996	41,658	3,943	1,397	7,698	22,914	10,440	3,064
Keya Paha	6,244	1,962	118	373	495	2,429	1,009	136

COUNTY PERSONAL INCOME BY MAJOR SOURCES (CONT'D)
(Thousand Dollars)

								1980
Nebraska	Total	Wage &	Other	Proprietors Income		Dividends		Less:
	Personal	Salary	Labor	Farm	Nonfarm	Interest	Transfer	Social
County	Income	Income	Income			& Rent	Payments	Insurance
Kimball	56,053	22,264	1,787	7,987	7,614	12,873	5,717	1,940
Knox	68,549	20,694	1,945	2,729	6,165	22,973	13,956	1,803
Lancaster	1,896,903	1,232,058	116,222	5,221	118,403	348,577	191,362	83,502
Lincoln	326,078	199,120	14,780	-3,622	19,935	63,759	49,382	16,257
Logan	7,266	2,815	155	- 61	361	2,638	1,096	138
Loup	4,577	837	0	1,165	401	1,471	746	55
McPherson	4,280	1,060	0	510	187	1,738	539	0
Madison	303,562	178,664	18,104	13,246	20,715	61,059	32,735	12,924
Merrick	63,299	23,653	1,847	-4,395	5,597	21,041	9,225	1,919
Morrill	45,406	16,345	1,209	4,582	3,784	10,602	7,071	1,148
Nance	28,708	8,968	792	-2,229	2,910	10,191	5,777	849
Nemaha	64,418	25,014	2,196	2,683	4,767	17,485	11,562	1,775
Nuckolls	48,335	21,066	2,087	749	3,744	14,662	8,100	1,630
Otoe	127,067	54,304	5,411	2,055	8,992	37,773	19,062	4,272
Pawnee	30,020	6,850	538	1,953	2,514	10,979	5,931	716
Perkins	40,797	11,403	836	11,523	3,250	9,937	4,252	931
Phelps	94,353	48,208	4,374	-3,128	8,531	31,505	11,251	3,604
Pierce	60,208	15,542	1,465	8,817	3,870	16,767	8,438	1,335
Platte	270,488	157,795	16,786	6,864	16,306	63,844	27,979	11,024
Polk	48,771	15,278	1,183	-2,372	8,060	20,612	7,750	1,157
Red Willow	115,185	60,735	5,462	1,235	12,227	28,167	13,982	4,994
Richardson	86,372	31,194	2,975	137	7,961	28,271	16,730	2,802
Rock	17,178	7,526	564	-1,129	1,604	6,598	2,393	541
Saline	120,549	63,008	6,971	5,397	7,019	35,315	15,780	4,701
Sarpy	639,464	341,771	10,181	-4,730	21,350	56,046	57,602	22,790
Saunders	149,289	40,427	3,240	10,464	8,203	40,078	20,317	3,154
Scotts Bluff	340,239	185,725	18,079	10,669	27,841	73,067	42,649	13,657

PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME

Nebraska		Selected Years	
Year	Nebraska	Great Plains(1)	United States
1930	\$ 517	\$ 510	\$ 624
1935	401	401	472
1940	436	482	592
1945	1,163	1,112	1,234
1950	1,498	1,425	1,496
1955	1,594	1,681	1,876
1960	2,009	2,022	2,201
1965	2,556	2,616	2,750
1970	3,748	3,736	3,945
1975	6,040	5,793	5,842
1976	6,209	6,169	6,367
1977	6,748	6,831	6,971
1978	7,581	7,692	7,729
1979	8,740	8,648	8,638
1980	9,086	9,261	9,511
1981	10,296	10,286	10,517

(1) Includes Iowa, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota and Kansas.

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis, Personal Income by States Since 1929; and Survey of Current Business.

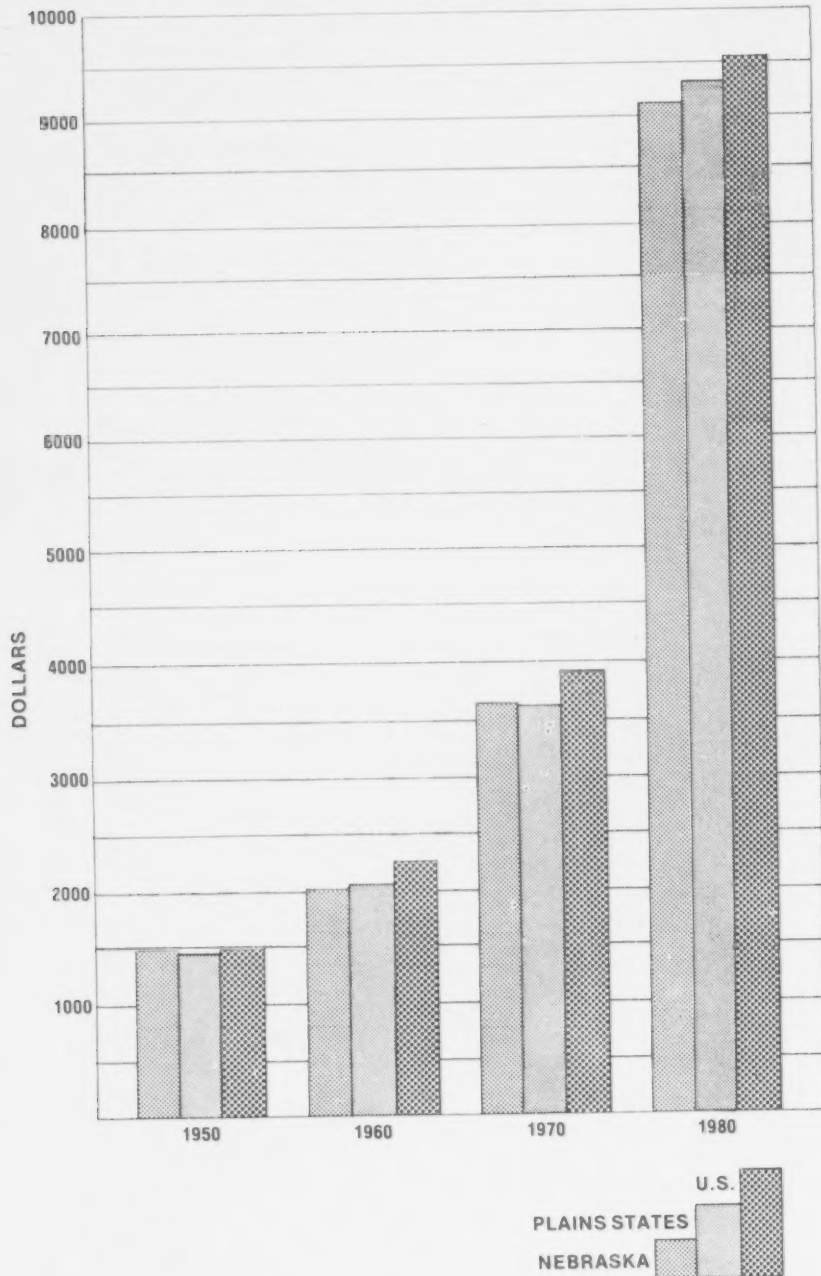
AVERAGE ANNUAL RATE OF GROWTH IN PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME

Nebraska		Selected Years	
Year	Nebraska	Great Plains(1)	United States
1930-1939	-2.3	-1.2	-1.3
1940-1949	12.9	11.6	9.9
1950-1959	3.2	3.8	4.1
1960-1969	5.6	5.4	5.2
1970-1979	10.2	9.8	9.2
1980	4.0	7.1	10.1
1981	13.3	11.1	10.7

(1) Includes Iowa, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, and Kansas.

Source: Calculated from data from Survey of Current Business.

PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME



COUNTY PERSONAL INCOME BY MAJOR SOURCES (CONT'D)
(Thousand Dollars)

Nebraska								1980
County	Total Personal Income	Wage & Salary Income	Other Labor Income	Proprietors Income		Dividends Interest & Rent	Transfer Payments	Less: Social Insurance
				Farm	Nonfarm			
Seward	109,829	49,808	5,729	-7,595	7,769	32,328	14,747	3,694
Sheridan	59,670	21,496	1,790	5,085	5,172	18,924	9,192	1,638
Sherman	29,839	8,234	608	2,263	2,433	8,437	5,323	711
Sioux	10,401	2,964	142	1,246	811	3,736	1,142	154
Stanton	42,264	24,267	4,227	6,205	1,404	9,572	4,069	1,566
Thayer	62,890	23,087	2,258	2,463	5,773	22,424	9,890	1,924
Thomas	8,328	2,828	224	520	853	3,034	1,130	258
Thurston	48,293	22,696	1,864	2,730	3,434	10,197	8,148	1,631
Valley	41,313	14,887	1,151	1,248	3,280	15,287	6,589	1,166
Washington	133,137	42,873	3,834	5,415	10,643	29,270	14,911	3,503
Wayne	67,520	25,645	1,972	5,247	4,501	17,915	9,061	1,747
Webster	36,615	10,357	859	1,944	3,045	13,132	6,783	919
Wheeler	5,505	1,973	114	595	288	1,696	948	93
York	128,956	62,004	6,074	-4,207	10,448	43,186	14,774	4,539
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Areas (1)								
Lincoln	1,896,903	1,234,058	116,222	5,221	118,403	348,577	191,362	83,502
Omaha	5,749,100	3,928,012	356,536	9,709	363,495	893,379	646,883	279,957
Sioux City	1,093,600	667,928	68,882	12,565	84,653	194,895	147,961	49,976

(1) Lincoln SMSA includes Lancaster County; Omaha SMSA includes Douglas and Sarpy Counties, Nebraska and Pottawattamie County, Iowa; Sioux City SMSA includes Dakota County, Nebraska Woodbury County, Iowa.

Note: The sum of the major sources may not equal the total personal income because of a residence adjustment necessary to change labor and proprietors income from a place of work to a place of residence basis.

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis.

COUNTY PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME
(In Dollars)

Nebraska		Selected Years					
County	1940	1950	1959	1970	1978	1979	1980
Adams	\$347	\$1,270	\$2,027	\$3,842	\$7,808	\$8,937	\$9,465
Antelope	318	976	1,148	2,732	7,254	9,066	7,158
Arthur	626	1,857	872	2,377	6,394	6,828	7,043
Banner	355	4,318	2,545	3,851	8,311	5,548	8,898
Blaine	367	1,836	1,469	2,649	5,539	7,375	6,361
Boone	176	1,148	1,121	2,759	6,814	8,474	7,048
Box Butte	436	2,036	1,785	3,497	6,970	7,408	7,955
Boyd	252	1,263	1,142	2,463	5,554	6,967	7,060
Brown	356	1,374	1,440	3,559	7,152	7,934	7,312
Buffalo	314	1,150	1,512	3,127	6,890	7,993	8,273
Burt	421	1,393	1,689	3,465	6,962	9,367	7,801
Butler	236	1,148	1,431	3,329	6,497	8,443	7,444
Cass	361	1,297	1,746	3,496	6,930	8,085	8,435
Cedar	361	1,401	1,242	2,178	6,215	7,801	6,839
Chase	399	1,607	1,401	3,948	8,017	9,902	8,576
Cherry	585	2,036	1,736	3,372	5,982	7,498	7,943
Cheyenne	485	2,543	1,943	3,267	7,569	8,068	9,998
Clay	232	1,242	1,669	4,092	7,693	9,116	7,934
Colfax	273	1,355	1,451	3,399	6,801	8,141	7,636
Cuming	318	1,388	1,554	3,036	7,446	9,564	7,930
Custer	292	1,361	1,340	3,575	6,066	7,457	7,232
Dakota	411	1,389	1,790	3,357	6,926	7,478	7,831
Dawes	432	1,640	1,514	2,974	5,752	6,497	7,311
Dawson	425	1,666	1,797	4,093	7,430	8,592	8,714
Deuel	504	1,851	1,814	5,115	8,838	9,337	11,093

COUNTY PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME (CONT'D)
(In Dollars)

Nebraska	Selected Years						
County	1940	1950	1959	1970	1978	1979	1980
Dixon	\$ 377	\$1,249	\$1,417	\$2,924	\$5,987	\$7,350	\$6,372
Dodge	391	1,526	1,989	3,858	8,077	9,443	9,650
Douglas	723	1,737	2,451	4,399	8,673	9,824	10,894
Dundy	389	1,631	1,446	3,650	8,011	10,490	8,852
Fillmore	272	1,142	1,642	4,206	8,668	10,181	9,078
Franklin	242	1,103	1,397	3,799	6,883	7,927	7,814
Frontier	242	1,668	1,276	3,182	6,014	7,594	7,150
Furnas	256	1,319	1,504	3,336	6,322	7,330	7,851
Gage	389	1,273	1,627	3,327	6,747	7,813	8,684
Garden	504	1,847	1,463	3,300	6,695	7,531	8,202
Garfield	273	1,375	1,435	2,835	5,947	7,266	7,495
Gosper	158	1,872	1,188	3,711	6,607	8,518	6,733
Grant	1,128	2,883	2,371	3,931	5,479	7,845	8,267
Greeley	191	1,153	1,040	2,812	5,972	7,364	6,342
Hall	552	1,689	2,011	3,918	7,625	8,638	9,245
Hamilton	254	1,609	1,720	3,877	7,360	8,767	7,205
Harlan	248	1,349	1,215	3,615	6,811	7,740	7,801
Hayes	261	1,279	1,433	2,783	3,862	4,997	5,430
Hitchcock	238	1,300	1,695	3,236	6,625	7,224	8,315
Holt	283	1,073	1,218	2,689	6,040	7,371	6,577
Hooker	348	1,416	1,666	2,992	5,915	7,052	8,185
Howard	218	1,151	1,013	3,155	6,305	7,646	6,801
Jefferson	377	1,286	1,592	3,198	6,783	7,908	8,224
Johnson	324	1,117	1,123	3,716	6,073	7,046	7,157
Kearney	331	1,762	1,580	4,386	9,370	10,488	8,694

COUNTY PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME (CONT'D)
(In Dollars)

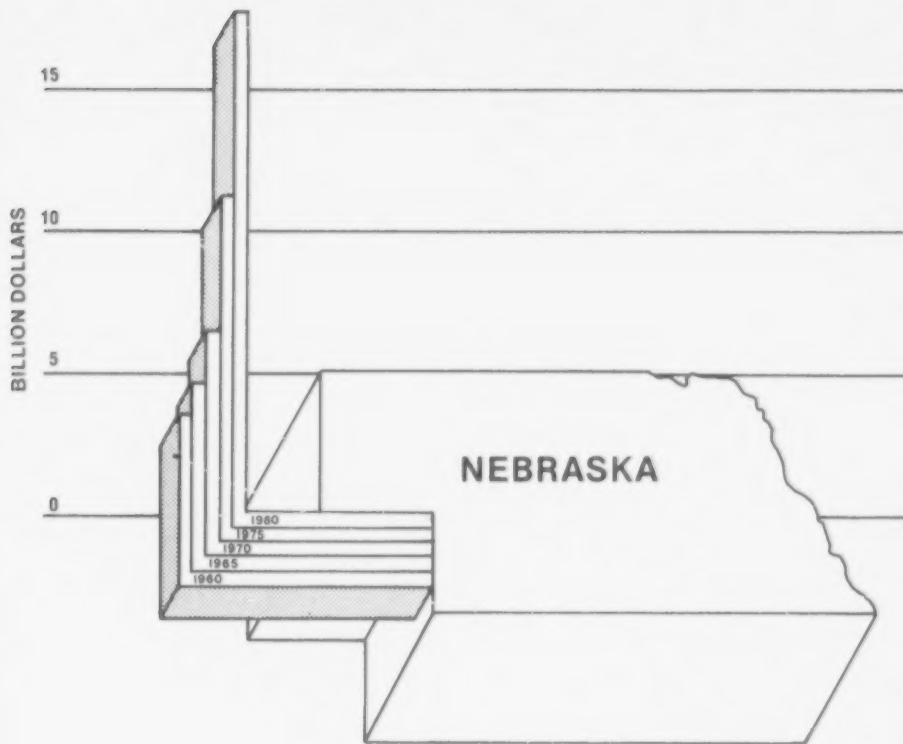
Nebraska	Selected Years						
County	1940	1950	1959	1970	1978	1979	1980
Keith	\$465	\$1,752	\$1,756	\$3,788	\$7,914	\$8,922	\$9,482
Keya Paha	353	1,757	1,289	2,671	4,056	4,498	4,788
Kimball	410	2,199	2,122	3,683	8,974	9,600	11,456
Knox	292	1,381	1,273	2,349	5,513	6,823	5,969
Lancaster	573	1,565	2,248	3,997	8,159	9,149	9,812
Lincoln	462	1,496	1,874	3,604	7,703	8,644	8,924
Logan	354	1,207	1,180	2,913	5,425	6,999	7,377
Loup	285	1,253	1,645	3,010	4,813	5,534	4,780
McPherson	404	1,531	1,488	3,118	4,306	6,990	7,205
Madison	352	1,276	1,735	3,330	7,980	9,561	9,651
Merrick	328	1,347	1,380	3,497	6,350	7,506	7,060
Morrill	358	1,610	1,289	2,905	5,615	6,969	7,445
Nance	229	1,397	1,309	2,818	5,864	7,179	6,043
Nemaha	396	1,180	1,547	3,685	6,802	7,720	7,681
Nuckolls	307	1,345	1,520	3,067	6,123	7,201	7,169
Otoe	370	1,242	1,620	3,700	7,163	8,158	8,350
Pawnee	316	1,152	1,217	3,030	6,749	7,634	7,608
Perkins	454	1,830	2,121	4,278	9,546	9,732	11,193
Phelps	344	1,634	1,748	4,011	8,650	9,908	9,636
Pierce	294	1,279	1,343	2,349	6,654	8,441	7,082
Platte	305	1,533	2,386	4,064	7,865	9,682	9,353
Polk	244	1,431	1,724	3,833	7,736	9,516	7,699
Red Willow	389	1,506	1,765	3,463	7,324	8,457	9,110
Richardson	425	1,307	1,688	3,663	6,233	7,759	7,616
Rock	345	1,520	1,660	2,811	8,996	7,552	7,190

COUNTY PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME (CONT'D)
(In Dollars)

Nebraska	Selected Years						
County	1940	1950	1959	1970	1978	1979	1980
Saline	\$316	\$1,225	\$1,691	\$3,582	\$7,534	\$8,894	\$9,159
Sarpy	357	1,514	1,998	3,373	6,034	6,878	7,417
Saunders	380	1,272	1,437	3,310	6,794	8,728	7,958
Scotts Bluff	416	1,438	1,785	3,601	7,517	8,214	8,853
Seward	263	1,288	1,395	3,136	6,246	7,201	6,940
Sheridan	443	1,598	1,728	3,206	5,871	6,983	7,891
Sherman	182	1,170	1,151	2,866	6,661	7,953	7,044
Sioux	488	1,613	1,474	2,553	3,406	4,623	5,625
Stanton	255	1,297	1,333	2,258	6,444	7,880	6,439
Thayer	281	1,281	1,315	3,340	7,410	8,645	8,275
Thomas	299	1,408	1,369	2,688	6,307	7,842	8,542
Thurston	288	1,372	1,089	3,026	5,685	7,367	6,705
Valley	240	1,143	1,170	3,116	6,982	8,205	7,313
Washington	411	1,785	1,798	3,709	7,299	8,677	8,565
Wayne	294	1,280	1,390	2,517	6,227	7,772	6,833
Webster	231	1,112	1,265	3,124	6,308	7,366	7,520
Wheeler	245	1,097	1,076	2,107	5,281	6,795	5,184
York	272	1,313	1,855	3,772	7,794	9,237	8,694
Nebraska	436	1,498	1,907	3,748	7,581	8,740	9,086

Source: U.S.Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis, Local Area Personal Income 1974-1979, and unpublished data.

GROSS STATE PRODUCT 1960-1980



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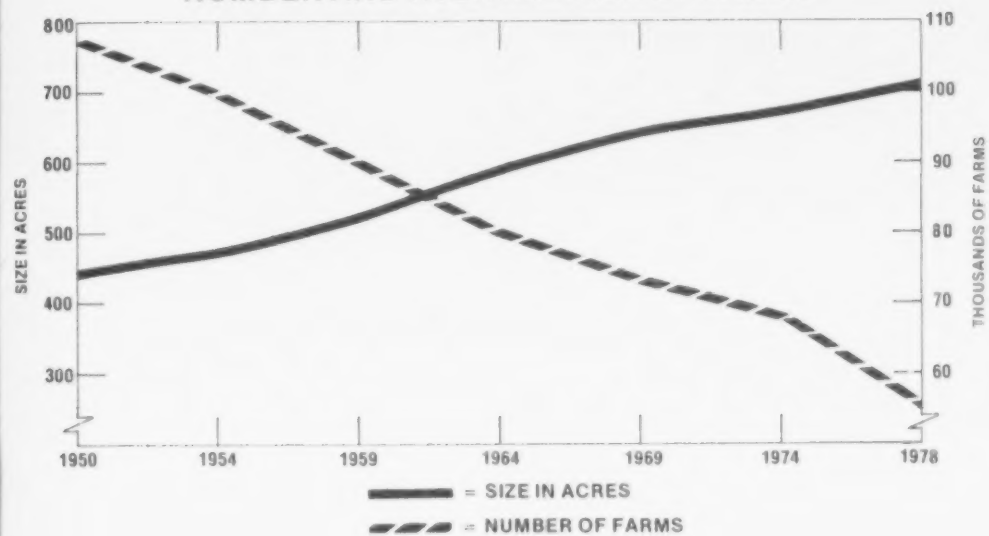
Agriculture is the backbone of Nebraska's economy. Farm income contributes about four times as much to Nebraska's total personal income as it does to the nation's personal income. Agriculture also contributes to other employment and income in the state. For example, 35 to 40 percent of Nebraska's manufacturing employees are either engaged in processing farm products or in producing farm machinery and equipment; activities which are directly related to agriculture. In addition, a large-portion of trade, services, transportation, and other economic activity is directly or indirectly related to the state's agricultural production.

Evidence of the importance of Nebraska's agricultural sector to both the state and nation is provided by production figures and rankings for 1981. Nebraska ranked first in the production of popcorn, alfalfa meal, and Great Northern beans. Nebraska surpassed Texas in 1981 to rank first in the number of fed cattle and calves marketed (4,050,000 head) and commercial cattle slaughter (5,919,700 head). The state ranked second in number of cattle on feed (1,640,000 head as of January 1, 1982). Third place rankings were received for corn for grain production (802,700,000 bushels) and sorghum for grain production (164,800,000 bushels). The state ranked sixth in winter wheat production (106,200,000 bushels) and eighth in soybean production (82,680,000 bushels).

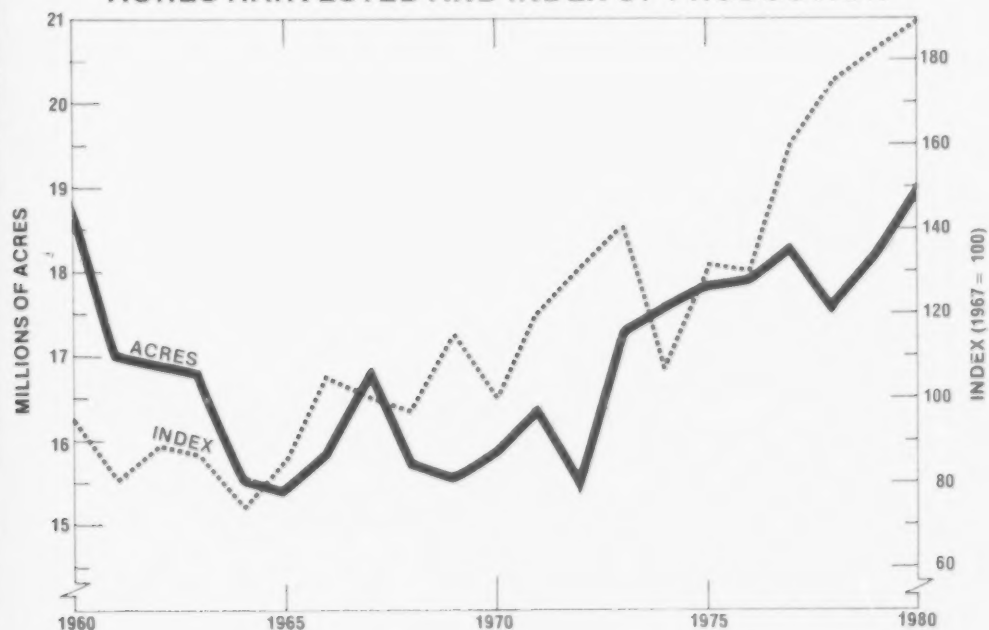
Cash receipts from farm marketings were \$6,074.7 million in 1980. Livestock cash receipts accounted for about 59 percent of the total (\$3,570.3 million), while receipts for crops were the remaining 41 percent of the total (\$2,504.4 million). Cash receipts have grown 186 percent from 1970 to 1980. However, farm production expenses increased 228 percent over the same period. The result was net farm income of \$224,700,000 in 1980, a lower level than any experienced since 1950.

Statistical series included in this section present important data on trends in the number and size of farms, value and use of land in farms, value of crop production and farm products sold, production and prices of selected crops, index numbers for prices received by farmers, and income from farming. For some of these series, the data are presented by counties. Sources of data were the U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census and the Nebraska and U.S. Departments of Agriculture, Crop and Livestock Reporting Service.

NUMBER AND AVERAGE SIZE OF FARMS



ACRES HARVESTED AND INDEX OF PRODUCTION



FARMS: NUMBER, LAND AREA, AVERAGE SIZE, AND VALUE

Nebraska				Selected Years	
Year	Number of Farms	Land in Farms (Acres)	Average Size of Farm	Value of Farms (\$1,000)	Average Value Per Farm (Dollars)
1860	3,000	631,000	226	3,878	1,391
1870	12,000	2,074,000	169	24,194	1,967
1880	63,387	9,945,000	157	105,933	1,671
1890	113,608	21,593,000	190	402,359	3,542
1900	121,525	29,912,000	246	577,660	4,753
1910	129,678	38,622,000	298	1,813,347	13,983
1920	124,417	42,255,000	339	3,712,108	29,836
1925	127,734	42,025,000	329	2,524,074	19,760
1930	129,458	44,709,000	345	2,495,203	19,274
1935	133,616	46,616,000	349	1,562,813	11,696
1940	121,062	47,344,000	391	1,137,808	9,399
1945	111,756	47,753,000	427	1,699,210	15,205
1950	107,183	47,467,000	443	2,735,039	25,517
1954	100,846	47,487,000	471	3,399,827	33,713
1959	90,475	47,756,000	528	4,233,856	46,796
1964	80,163	47,793,000	596	5,232,079	65,268
1969	72,257	45,834,000	634	7,076,220	97,931
1974	67,597	46,172,000	683	13,017,447	192,574
1978	65,916	46,273,000	702	24,572,562	372,786

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, Census of Agriculture.

NUMBER OF FARMS BY COUNTIES

Nebraska		Selected Years				
County	1960	1970	1975	1979	1980	1981
Adams	1,180	980	865	825	825	825
Antelope	1,600	1,230	1,090	1,090	1,090	1,090
Arthur	105	90	70	70	70	70
Banner	250	235	200	200	200	200
Blaine	155	140	125	125	125	125
Boone	1,380	1,030	980	940	940	940
Box Butte	650	605	590	570	570	570
Boyd	650	560	495	485	485	485
Brown	455	380	360	360	360	360
Buffalo	1,875	1,420	1,340	1,280	1,280	1,280
Burt	1,190	915	835	835	835	835
Butler	1,615	1,280	1,090	1,070	1,070	1,070
Cass	1,470	1,110	1,000	980	980	980
Cedar	1,835	1,400	1,250	1,200	1,200	1,200
Chase	545	440	405	405	405	405
Cherry	755	685	680	675	675	675
Cheyenne	900	765	745	740	740	740
Clay	1,015	780	735	720	720	720
Colfax	1,230	1,010	940	910	910	910
Cuming	1,785	1,450	1,400	1,340	1,340	1,340
Custer	2,360	1,770	1,580	1,510	1,510	1,510
Dakota	645	460	430	420	420	420
Dawes	610	535	475	465	465	465
Dawson	1,655	1,220	1,070	1,060	1,060	1,060
Deuel	375	325	305	305	305	305
Dixon	1,210	970	870	820	820	820
Dodge	1,560	1,230	1,130	1,100	1,100	1,100
Douglas	1,280	640	590	570	570	570
Dundy	475	405	390	390	390	390
Fillmore	1,245	1,000	930	895	895	895
Franklin	820	650	570	570	570	570

NUMBER OF FARMS BY COUNTIES (CONT'D)

Nebraska		Selected Years				
County	1960	1970	1975	1979	1980	1981
Frontier	745	550	510	510	510	510
Furnas	880	700	585	570	570	570
Gage	2,195	1,680	1,550	1,490	1,490	1,490
Garden	485	390	345	345	345	345
Garfield	340	280	285	270	270	270
Gosper	515	395	335	335	335	335
Grant	80	65	85	85	85	85
Greeley	725	520	500	470	470	470
Hall	1,275	970	920	885	885	885
Hamilton	1,290	1,010	920	890	890	890
Harlan	700	530	500	470	470	470
Hayes	420	350	335	335	335	335
Hitchcock	625	520	465	465	465	465
Holt	1,720	1,425	1,320	1,320	1,320	1,320
Hooker	60	60	65	60	60	60
Howard	1,090	880	800	760	760	760
Jefferson	1,245	910	860	820	820	820
Johnson	960	750	680	650	650	650
Kearney	890	710	680	640	640	640
Keith	530	440	410	410	410	410
Keya Paha	325	285	250	250	250	250
Kimball	450	430	370	370	370	370
Knox	1,935	1,570	1,460	1,390	1,390	1,390
Lancaster	2,165	1,750	1,550	1,520	1,520	1,520
Lincoln	1,430	1,210	1,090	1,080	1,080	1,080
Logan	185	160	155	155	155	155
Loup	215	185	160	155	155	155
McPherson	150	145	115	115	115	115
Madison	1,585	1,180	1,120	1,060	1,060	1,060
Merrick	1,100	830	740	720	720	720
Morrill	770	640	555	555	555	555

NUMBER OF FARMS BY COUNTIES (CONT'D)

Nebraska		Selected Years				
County	1960	1970	1975	1979	1980	1981
Nance	850	615	560	530	530	530
Nemaha	1,070	760	720	710	710	710
Nuckolls	1,070	800	685	670	670	670
Otoe	1,645	1,300	1,150	1,100	1,100	1,100
Pawnee	915	710	680	640	640	640
Perkins	660	575	540	540	540	540
Phelps	935	710	635	625	625	625
Pierce	1,365	1,070	1,030	970	970	970
Platte	1,775	1,450	1,380	1,350	1,350	1,350
Polk	1,170	890	810	800	800	800
Red Willow	770	630	510	510	510	510
Richardson	1,375	1,040	1,010	955	955	955
Rock	325	275	280	280	280	280
Saline	1,510	1,240	1,070	1,020	1,020	1,020
Sarpy	725	525	470	465	465	465
Saunders	2,065	1,710	1,590	1,530	1,530	1,530
Scotts Bluff	1,620	1,240	1,100	1,080	1,080	1,080
Seward	1,550	1,250	1,160	1,100	1,100	1,100
Sheridan	945	690	700	700	700	700
Sherman	930	710	695	670	670	670
Sioux	495	400	375	375	375	375
Stanton	1,090	860	810	760	760	760
Thayer	1,205	920	815	780	780	780
Thomas	95	90	85	85	85	85
Thurston	850	670	630	600	600	600
Valley	920	690	620	590	590	590
Washington	1,215	1,000	925	890	890	890
Wayne	1,320	920	895	865	865	865
Webster	900	670	585	550	550	550
Wheeler	235	200	175	175	175	175
York	1,450	1,160	1,060	1,010	1,010	1,010
Nebraska	93,000	73,000	67,000	65,000	65,000	65,000

Note: Beginning in 1975, Farm is a place with annual sales of agricultural products of \$1,000 or more.

Source: Nebraska Department of Agriculture, Nebraska Agricultural Statistics, annual.

NEBRASKA GROSS STATE PRODUCT(1)
(Million Dollars)

Nebraska

1960-1980

Year	Farm	Mining	Construction	Manufacturing	Trade	Finance, Insurance, & Real Estate	Transportation, Communications, & Utilities	Services	Government	Total
1960	598.8	44.3	199.4	530.8	638.0	559.2	413.5	293.9	406.7	3,684.6
1961	466.3	45.5	208.1	560.9	666.3	586.3	422.2	312.6	435.5	3,703.7
1962	574.3	41.4	207.8	599.3	698.3	642.0	460.6	329.4	468.1	4,021.2
1963	541.5	37.1	211.8	624.0	722.7	668.8	472.8	344.8	502.1	4,125.6
1964	422.0	32.0	210.0	700.2	767.0	715.3	486.7	373.7	540.0	4,247.8
1965	605.6	32.0	226.1	718.7	808.5	742.2	512.3	394.6	557.9	4,597.9
1966	754.4	34.1	242.5	804.2	869.2	785.9	536.8	433.0	576.9	5,037.0
1967	695.2	31.8	256.6	898.1	932.7	833.0	549.6	480.8	621.0	5,298.8
1968	601.3	31.7	279.4	988.8	1,026.6	878.2	590.2	529.1	697.1	5,622.4
1969	820.2	35.4	327.1	1,085.1	1,124.6	937.6	624.3	596.0	782.8	6,333.1
1970	760.1	36.8	341.6	1,123.1	1,197.8	1,007.5	675.6	642.4	911.3	6,696.2
1971	838.3	32.2	358.5	1,204.7	1,289.3	1,099.7	746.2	695.4	984.9	7,249.2
1972	1,036.1	37.5	414.4	1,308.2	1,418.8	1,199.9	840.5	768.5	1,055.1	8,079.0
1973	1,746.5	43.0	467.7	1,453.2	1,602.5	1,329.7	940.8	863.7	1,145.5	9,592.6
1974	1,304.1	73.0	504.7	1,550.9	1,796.4	1,486.3	1,056.9	955.7	1,236.4	9,964.4
1975	1,805.1	69.0	537.8	1,713.3	2,037.4	1,636.1	1,161.4	1,063.3	1,392.6	11,416.0
1976	1,316.7	76.7	634.3	1,944.3	2,250.8	1,819.1	1,364.4	1,207.2	1,511.3	12,124.8
1977	1,330.3	86.9	709.1	2,055.5	2,456.2	2,084.3	1,498.2	1,319.6	1,646.4	13,186.5
1978	1,500.4	79.4	780.5	2,338.5	2,599.8	2,330.2	1,753.6	1,485.8	1,803.3	14,671.5
1979	2,116.7	102.2	796.8	2,599.7	2,906.2	2,605.0	1,987.5	1,699.8	1,985.4	16,799.3
1980	1,572.8	120.8	769.0	2,680.0	3,171.0	2,922.7	2,164.1	1,923.2	2,163.7	17,487.3

(1) Gross State Product is the market value of all final goods and services produced in the state during the year.

Source: Bureau of Business Research, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, unpublished data.

PERSONS EMPLOYED ON FARMS

Nebraska		Selected Years	
Year	Total Workers	Family Workers	Hired Workers
1960	160,000	135,000	25,000
1965	127,000	110,000	17,000
1970	106,000	93,000	13,000
1971	109,000	93,000	16,000
1972	112,000	95,000	17,000
1973	110,000	93,000	17,000
1974	120,000	101,000	19,000
1975	116,000	96,000	20,000
1976	117,000	97,000	20,000
1977	108,000	87,000	21,000
1978	110,000	88,000	22,000
1979	105,000	84,000	21,000
1980	102,000	77,000	25,000

Source: Nebraska Department of Agriculture,
Agricultural Statistics, annual.

TENURE OF FARM OPERATORS

Nebraska		Selected Years			
Year	All Farm Operators	Full Owners	Part Owners	Managers	Tenants
1920	124,417	50,565	19,107	1,315	53,430
1925	127,734	45,493	22,273	669	59,299
1930	129,458	43,301	24,117	1,020	61,020
1935	133,616	42,861	24,152	795	65,808
1940	121,062	35,064	21,497	554	63,947
1945	111,756	33,622	24,603	432	53,099
1950	107,183	37,939	27,164	333	41,747
1954	100,846	35,141	26,342	327	38,923
1959	90,475	31,141	26,520	324	32,490
1964	80,163	28,629	26,663	398	24,473
1969	72,257	28,416	26,087	—	17,754
1974	67,597	28,674	25,084	—	13,839
1978	65,916	26,744	24,971	—	14,201

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, Census of Agriculture.

VALUE OF FARM REAL ESTATE

Nebraska		Selected Years	
Year	Average Value Per Acre	Total Value (\$1,000)	Index of Value (1967=100)
1925	\$ 60	\$ 2,524,000	44
1930	56	2,495,000	40
1935	34	1,594,000	25
1940	24	1,138,000	21
1945	37	1,760,000	30
1950	58	2,735,000	46
1955	73	3,469,000	61
1956	73	3,472,000	60
1957	72	3,454,000	59
1958	79	3,791,000	63
1959	86	4,084,000	67
1960	89	4,269,000	69
1961	90	4,302,000	70
1962	95	4,558,000	75
1963	97	4,617,000	75
1964	105	5,009,000	81
1965	111	5,301,000	86
1966	120	5,704,000	92
1967	132	6,188,000	100
1968	143	6,653,000	108
1969	150	6,940,000	113
1970	154	7,076,000	115
1971	157	7,552,000	117
1972	170	8,177,000	127
1973	193	9,331,000	145
1974	244	11,736,000	183
1975	282	13,508,000	215
1976	355	17,004,000	271
1977	425	19,208,000	307
1978	419	18,442,000	295
1979	525	22,466,000	360
1980	600	25,621,000	410

Source: Nebraska Department of Agriculture,
Nebraska Agricultural Statistics, annual;
Nebraska Crop Reporting Service, Nebraska Farm Real Estate, periodic.

NUMBER OF FARMS REPORTING MAJOR ITEMS

Nebraska		Selected Years	
Item	1969	1974	1978
Cattle and Calves	54,119	48,818	43,671
20 and Over	44,951	41,846	36,482
Hogs and Pigs	29,029	21,301	21,390
25 and Over	27,762	16,763	17,509
Sheep and Lambs	4,042	2,796	2,343
Horses and Ponies	15,536	8,898	11,031
Chickens	19,267	11,370	9,136
Corn for Grain	44,338	40,830	39,647
Sorghums	25,317	20,447	19,868
Wheat	30,859	28,035	22,113
Soybeans	17,300	17,691	16,791
Hay	45,698	43,083	38,837
Potatoes	1,632	468	252

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, Census of Agriculture, 1974, 1978.

TOTAL VALUE OF CROP PRODUCTION (Thousands of Dollars)

Nebraska		Selected Years	
Year	Total Value	Year	Total Value
1870	4,196	1960	720,634
1880	29,457	1965	698,492
1890	89,589	1970	904,689
1900	97,504	1975	2,424,371
1910	176,613	1976	2,081,822
1920	314,139	1977	2,387,448
1930	236,399	1978	2,791,300
1940	146,027	1979	3,433,681
1950	718,289	1980	3,578,034
1955(1)	475,238	1981	3,865,239

(1) Value of corn for grain rather than all corn starts in 1955.

Source: Nebraska Department of Agriculture, Nebraska Agricultural Statistics, and Nebraska Crop and Livestock Reporting Service, Nebraska Crops, Annual Summary.

NUMBER OF FARMS BY SIZE OF FARMS

Nebraska		Selected Years						
Year	Farms by Number of Acres							
	Under 10	10-49	50-99	100-179	180-259	260-499	500-999	1,000+
1880	400	4,009	16,652	41,542	(1)	(1)	666	118
1890	451	3,586	19,921	68,805	(1)	(1)	2,315	530
1900	1,872	6,878	17,979	63,964	(2)	22,146	6,052	2,364
1910	2,427	6,489	12,618	64,659	(2)	26,490	13,128	3,867
1920	1,783	5,279	11,163	64,650	(2)	25,884	9,744	5,914
1925	2,931	6,227	10,977	64,230	(2)	26,500	9,489	5,380
1930	3,740	6,490	10,118	64,741	(2)	28,135	10,260	5,974
1935	5,301	7,853	10,767	42,304	21,961	28,616	10,490	6,324
1940	4,327	6,393	9,308	36,576	19,282	27,909	10,570	6,697
1945	4,602	5,987	7,069	28,316	19,680	28,083	10,805	7,214
1950	4,630	5,627	6,815	26,200	19,167	26,909	10,539	7,296
1954	4,325	4,704	5,746	22,412	18,321	27,042	10,685	7,611
1959	2,478	4,696	5,075	17,069	15,179	26,675	11,266	8,037
1964	2,441	3,911	4,440	12,684	11,278	24,534	12,198	8,677
1969	3,968	3,113	4,067	10,401	8,527	20,853	12,324	9,004
1974	3,350	3,384	4,247	9,473	6,995	18,122	12,586	9,440
1978	4,377	4,561	4,063	8,291	6,126	16,206	12,369	9,923

(1) Combined total under 100-179 acres, (100-499 acres).

(2) Combined total under 100-179 acres, (100-259 acres).

Source: Nebraska Department of Agriculture, Nebraska Agricultural Statistics, Centennial Edition; U.S. Bureau of the Census, Census of Agriculture, 1969, 1974, 1978.

LAND IN FARMS: CLASSIFICATION OF LAND USE
(Thousands of Acres)

Nebraska					Selected Years			
Year	Harvested	Cropland		Total	Woodland		Other	
		Pasture Only	All Other		Pastured	Not Pastured	Range land Pasture	All Other Land(1)
1920	18,936	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
1925	19,810	4,381	888	25,079	657	226	14,456	1,606
1930	21,399	4,160	944	26,504	798	143	15,840	1,424
1935	12,195	2,653	10,514	25,362	791	143	18,942	1,378
1940	17,305	3,736	4,374	25,415	NA	NA	NA	NA
1945	19,596	942	2,890	23,429	378	133	22,185	1,629
1950	19,407	1,400	2,970	23,776	603	217	21,415	1,456
1954	18,874	1,117	2,876	22,868	430	192	22,542	1,454
1959	18,057	1,309	3,461	22,828	370	152	22,847	1,560
1964	15,229	1,031	5,839	22,100	357	139	22,781	1,377
1969	14,023	2,461	5,739	22,223	304	162	21,115	1,368
1974	16,309	3,274	2,639	22,213	283	232	21,530	1,477
1978	16,442	2,363	3,594	22,399	258	179	22,133	1,305

NA Not Available

(1) Includes house lots, barn lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc.

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, Census of Agriculture, census years.

SELECTED CROP PRODUCTION
(In Thousands of Units)

Nebraska		Selected Years					
Corn	Unit	1940	1950	1960	1970	1980	1981
Corn for Grain	Bushels	95,489	241,560	333,438	367,275	603,500	802,700
Wheat	Bushels	34,725	88,482	85,712	97,204	108,300	106,200
Oats	Bushels	34,224	61,488	43,062	24,276	15,580	15,405
Sorghums for Grain	Bushels	5,104	4,850	90,698	76,449	121,800	164,800
Sorghums for Silage	Tons	2,811	603	898	890	665	945
Barley	Bushels	21,136	4,650	6,525	2,088	950	897
Rye	Bushels	2,812	2,464	2,975	5,460	666	798
Potatoes	Cwt	6,804	6,707	2,638	2,163	2,136	2,472
Soybeans for Beans	Bushels	56	1,200	4,592	17,864	53,100	82,680
Sugar Beets	Tons	933	812	1,226	1,376	1,777	1,887
Hay	Tons	2,437	5,563	6,685	6,237	7,083	7,165
Dry Edible Beans	Cwt	297	862	1,065	1,548	2,730	3,850
Popcorn	Lbs	1,200	16,500	44,640	57,200	194,700	308,000

Source: Nebraska Department of Agriculture, Nebraska Agricultural Statistics, annual.

CROP PRODUCTION, BY COUNTY
(In Thousands of Units)

Nebraska					1981				
County	Corn For Grain (Bushels)	Wheat (Bushels)	Sorghum For Grain (Bushels)	All Hay (Tons)	County	Corn For Grain (Bushels)	Wheat (Bushels)	Sorghum For Grain (Bushels)	All Hay (Tons)
Adams	19,466.0	1,968.1	3,925.6	24.6	Dawson	25,262.8	240.1	357.8	301.0
Antelope	23,773.2	53.1	173.0	114.0	Deuel	1,044.2	4,175.5	9.0	12.9
Arthur	653.4	0	0	52.9	Dixon	8,616.0	14.0	92.3	58.4
Banner	384.0	3,027.2	4.0	47.9	Dodge	12,562.2	224.2	1,310.4	79.2
Blaine	470.4	4.8	0	60.4	Douglas	5,201.1	115.3	246.4	28.2
Boone	15,355.1	111.2	1,186.2	72.5	Dundy	10,380.0	1,752.6	493.2	55.9
Box Butte	2,919.3	4,364.4	9.0	71.6	Fillmore	16,960.9	1,343.9	6,506.6	24.9
Boyd	1,640.1	37.1	574.6	62.7	Franklin	7,697.2	1,188.9	3,939.2	25.2
Brown	4,698.0	2.4	28.6	73.7	Frontier	8,166.2	2,096.1	2,472.7	53.7
Buffalo	22,608.4	709.6	1,462.0	169.5	Furnas	4,834.4	2,946.9	4,359.3	57.3
Burt	10,188.7	173.6	255.5	62.8	Gage	5,182.4	2,099.7	10,181.5	66.2
Butler	13,086.2	847.4	6,875.4	47.1	Garden	1,838.4	2,498.4	0	113.6
Cass	7,265.6	1,471.0	3,321.0	48.2	Garfield	1,965.8	7.2	9.2	63.9
Cedar	11,496.0	13.2	110.4	143.1	Gosper	7,934.0	804.1	2,377.2	31.0
Chase	13,335.6	2,853.3	317.0	50.3	Grant	54.5	0	0	40.9
Cherry	1,446.0	25.0	17.2	414.7	Greeley	8,999.8	61.1	1,028.2	71.8
Cheyenne	1,127.4	10,518.9	22.0	35.6	Hall	24,220.6	251.1	830.0	52.4
Clay	15,565.5	1,083.4	6,256.2	51.0	Hamilton	28,356.2	307.2	3,456.0	27.8
Colfax	10,035.8	260.9	953.2	58.2	Harlan	6,985.5	1,355.3	3,967.7	40.0
Cuming	10,558.7	19.4	90.9	181.7	Hayes	3,809.0	2,262.3	265.0	44.3
Custer	18,470.8	1,104.8	389.4	268.4	Hitchcock	3,685.8	2,736.3	1,025.9	41.1
Dakota	4,681.9	22.5	88.4	34.0	Holt	26,661.9	104.3	79.0	277.2
Dawes	303.9	1,890.6	8.0	110.6	Hooker	21.2	0	0	21.9

CROP PRODUCTION, BY COUNTY (CONT'D)
(In Thousands of Units)

Nebraska					1981				
County	Corn For Grain (Bushels)	Wheat (Bushels)	Sorghum For Grain (Bushels)	All Hay (Tons)	County	Corn For Grain (Bushels)	Wheat (Bushels)	Sorghum For Grain (Bushels)	All Hay (Tons)
Howard	12,318.2	184.9	902.5	76.5	Platte	18,850.4	278.0	1,835.6	71.8
Jefferson	4,729.9	1,234.9	5,045.5	48.5	Polk	11,031.1	363.7	6,502.2	34.5
Johnson	1,450.5	752.7	3,936.1	44.4	Red Willow	6,435.5	2,301.5	2,343.0	59.7
Kearney	22,719.2	1,161.9	2,753.5	34.8	Richardson	5,369.7	1,364.4	1,705.8	54.2
Keith	3,950.9	2,998.8	94.2	67.8	Rock	4,071.9	13.0	44.6	94.8
Keya Paha	1,110.0	21.9	8.0	76.3	Saline	7,140.8	1,806.9	5,649.7	42.1
Kimball	474.6	6,345.5	4.0	33.6	Sarpy	4,676.0	113.1	202.4	28.6
Knox	9,773.1	87.8	428.9	163.8	Saunders	14,884.9	847.0	3,829.2	85.0
Lancaster	1,947.6	3,078.0	11,311.1	62.4	Scotts Bluff	7,073.1	732.5	0	93.4
Lincoln	18,359.4	1,541.0	418.6	296.3	Seward	10,035.2	966.7	8,888.7	42.7
Logan	1,439.5	125.5	9.2	41.2	Sheridan	1,893.6	2,564.3	8.0	212.4
Loup	785.0	7.2	0	41.4	Sherman	6,043.6	219.8	820.6	83.4
Madison	13,330.8	30.0	393.0	79.6	Sioux	877.4	376.9	0	64.9
McPherson	319.7	7.2	0	43.3	Stanton	7,791.9	19.5	212.0	93.2
Merrick	18,415.2	213.4	752.5	55.4	Thayer	10,182.0	1,738.4	4,541.8	38.4
Morrill	4,976.4	1,686.4	0	159.0	Thomas	124.8	0	0	24.2
Nance	8,097.7	389.3	2,607.7	49.3	Thurston	6,283.4	10.0	244.2	53.1
Nemaha	5,134.5	1,115.4	1,485.2	30.1	Valley	7,699.8	214.1	716.2	86.4
Nuckolls	4,505.0	2,054.3	5,612.2	52.6	Washington	8,518.4	295.5	286.6	77.7
Otoe	5,817.5	1,605.2	5,420.2	59.7	Wayne	8,333.1	14.0	117.0	83.8
Pawnee	1,188.5	926.3	4,097.3	51.3	Webster	3,994.2	2,146.6	3,621.2	58.4
Perkins	6,435.5	6,052.6	438.2	32.8	Wheeler	4,855.1	2.4	41.2	70.8
Phelps	28,683.4	643.5	1,783.0	48.0	York	23,937.3	373.6	6,453.8	24.3
Pierce	11,763.5	28.0	162.1	95.0	NEBRASKA	802,700.0	106,200.0	164,800.0	7,165.0

Source: Nebraska Department of Agriculture, Nebraska Agricultural Statistics, 1980 and 1981.

CATTLE AND CALVES, INVENTORY AND PRODUCTION
BY COUNTY

Nebraska	1981					
	Cattle(1) Placed On Feed	All(2) Cattle On Farms	Cows(2) That Have Calved	Calves(1) Born	Milk(2) Cows	Milk(1) Production (Thousand Pounds)
County			Number			
Adams	108,300	80,000	14,000	13,100	450	5,040
Antelope	42,000	96,000	29,000	25,900	4,200	48,300
Arthur	(W)	41,000	21,200	19,400	50	550
Banner	2,800	24,000	11,500	10,800	50	570
Blaine	(W)	44,000	20,000	18,400	180	1,980
Boone	44,400	92,000	28,500	26,500	2,300	26,450
Box Butte	46,000	67,000	19,000	18,100	200	2,280
Boyd	(W)	51,000	23,000	21,300	1,100	12,100
Brown	(W)	100,000	30,000	27,600	770	8,470
Buffalo	67,300	120,000	37,500	33,600	1,250	14,310
Burt	69,200	65,000	13,900	12,600	1,000	11,500
Butler	38,900	49,000	15,700	14,300	950	10,870
Cass	92,000	53,000	12,300	11,200	1,600	18,300
Cedar	39,600	111,000	30,000	27,200	7,900	90,850
Chase	24,900	61,000	19,500	17,000	230	2,600
Cherry	(W)	370,000	166,000	153,200	800	8,800
Cheyenne	44,500	50,000	13,000	12,200	300	3,420
Clay	90,000	61,000	18,200	16,300	380	4,310
Colfax	87,500	70,000	9,900	9,000	1,150	13,160
Cuming	425,000	225,000	19,500	17,600	3,400	39,100
Custer	28,000	236,000	93,000	52,700	2,500	28,630
Dakota	7,500	23,000	7,600	6,900	550	6,330
Dawes	1,300	62,000	29,000	27,000	330	3,760
Dawson	264,300	220,000	51,000	46,700	850	9,730
Deuel	3,100	19,000	3,800	3,600	50	570
Dixon	69,100	74,000	17,000	15,400	1,400	16,100
Dodge	78,300	69,000	11,700	10,500	1,800	20,590
Douglas	71,500	35,000	4,500	4,100	1,400	16,020
Dundy	14,200	55,000	19,500	17,600	120	1,360
Fillmore	39,000	60,000	12,000	10,600	470	5,340
Franklin	9,000	55,000	23,000	21,400	530	5,940

CATTLE AND CALVES, INVENTORY AND PRODUCTION
BY COUNTY (CONT'D)

Nebraska	1981					
	Cattle(1) Placed On Feed	All(2) Cattle On Farms	Cows(2) That Have Calved	Calves(1) Born	Milk(2) Cows	Milk(1) Production (Thousand Pounds)
County			Number			
Frontier	16,700	70,000	32,500	29,900	350	3,950
Furnas	23,800	58,000	22,000	20,700	1,200	13,440
Gage	34,000	64,000	22,500	20,000	6,400	72,640
Garden	37,800	102,000	39,000	37,500	170	1,940
Garfield	(W)	42,000	18,000	16,400	500	5,500
Gosper	6,500	30,000	12,900	12,000	100	1,120
Grant	(W)	61,000	27,000	24,700	100	1,100
Greeley	18,700	59,000	25,500	22,800	1,200	13,740
Hall	132,200	80,000	17,500	15,400	1,750	20,040
Hamilton	45,800	54,000	11,200	9,800	850	9,720
Harlan	24,300	59,000	17,100	15,600	400	4,480
Hayes	5,000	35,000	17,900	16,500	100	1,130
Hitchcock	9,500	42,000	15,500	14,000	180	2,030
Holt	(W)	225,000	95,000	88,100	6,000	66,000
Hooker	(W)	17,000	7,300	6,700	50	550
Howard	59,600	75,000	21,500	19,100	3,350	38,360
Jefferson	39,200	46,000	15,600	14,000	3,100	35,180
Johnson	10,000	29,000	13,000	11,500	1,400	15,890
Kearney	76,000	76,000	13,000	11,900	220	2,460
Keith	55,500	68,000	23,000	20,300	370	4,180
Keya Paha	(W)	50,000	24,000	22,500	1,600	17,600
Kimball	3,000	23,000	8,800	8,200	150	1,710
Knox	41,000	145,000	47,500	43,400	5,300	60,950
Lancaster	16,900	43,000	17,500	15,700	2,500	28,600
Lincoln	30,900	173,000	80,300	71,800	1,350	15,260
Logan	(W)	43,000	18,000	16,200	150	1,650
Loup	(W)	41,000	14,500	13,300	150	1,650
McPherson	(W)	36,000	17,500	16,300	50	550
Madison	47,000	68,000	19,500	17,700	2,600	29,900
Merrick	73,200	75,000	18,000	16,200	1,200	13,730
Morrill	17,600	83,000	38,000	36,000	130	1,480
Nance	26,500	46,000	17,000	15,200	1,300	14,870
Nemaha	10,700	29,000	10,700	9,500	470	5,340

CATTLE AND CALVES, INVENTORY AND PRODUCTION
BY COUNTY (CONT'D)

Nebraska	1981					
	Cattle(1) Placed On Feed	All(2) Cattle On Farms	Cows(2) That Have Calved	Calves(1) Born	Milk(2) Cows	Milk(1) Production (Thousand Pounds)
County			Number			
Nuckolls	23,800	53,000	17,300	15,600	1,150	13,050
Otoe	29,100	45,000	17,400	15,500	1,800	20,430
Pawnee	6,000	30,000	14,500	13,000	1,400	15,890
Perkins	5,400	26,000	12,100	10,900	450	5,080
Phelps	76,000	79,000	15,500	14,300	130	1,460
Pierce	50,000	73,000	21,400	19,400	3,300	37,950
Platte	60,900	78,000	21,500	19,200	3,900	44,620
Polk	96,500	104,000	12,200	11,000	400	4,580
Red Willow	57,900	70,000	19,700	18,000	650	7,350
Richardson	32,500	46,000	17,000	15,200	1,400	15,890
Rock	(W)	83,000	30,500	27,900	1,300	14,300
Saline	18,700	47,000	10,600	9,600	830	9,420
Sarpy	113,000	55,000	4,600	4,100	850	9,720
Saunders	154,200	92,000	15,000	13,200	1,600	18,300
Scotts Bluff	207,000	145,000	16,500	14,800	1,000	11,400
Seward	79,100	66,000	13,000	11,900	1,500	17,160
Sheridan	9,300	155,000	71,000	67,100	900	10,260
Sherman	11,500	55,000	24,000	21,400	2,400	27,480
Sioux	7,700	80,000	25,400	23,700	220	2,510
Stanton	98,000	83,000	15,000	13,800	1,450	16,670
Thayer	57,000	60,000	16,200	14,200	1,200	13,620
Thomas	(W)	33,000	14,500	13,000	50	550
Thurston	38,400	48,000	11,000	9,800	1,000	11,500
Valley	28,400	75,000	24,000	21,300	2,200	25,190
Washington	44,600	48,000	10,700	9,600	3,000	34,320
Wayne	68,800	87,000	15,100	13,800	3,000	34,500
Webster	16,100	43,000	19,500	18,000	870	9,740
Wheeler	(W)	53,000	20,500	19,000	1,050	11,550
York	41,100	53,000	12,200	11,000	1,000	11,440
Nebraska	4,350,000	6,850,000	2,160,000	1,970,000	123,000	1,400,000

(1) Total for year.

(2) Number on January 1.

(W) Withheld to avoid disclosing individual operations.

Source: Nebraska Department of Agriculture, Nebraska Agricultural Statistics,
1980 and 1981.

MISCELLANEOUS LIVESTOCK
PRODUCTION BY COUNTY

Nebraska	1981		
	Sows(1) Farrowed	Pigs(1) Saved	All(2) Sheep
County			
Adams	7,500	54,000	2,400
Antelope	21,500	159,100	2,600
Arthur	100	800	200
Banner	800	5,800	800
Elaine	1,900	14,200	100
Boone	20,000	148,000	1,600
Box Butte	1,100	7,900	1,800
Boyd	7,100	53,200	800
Brown	2,400	18,000	1,800
Buffalo	11,000	82,500	7,500
Burt	19,500	144,300	3,500
Butler	12,000	88,800	4,500
Cass	6,500	48,100	1,600
Cedar	25,500	188,700	3,000
Chase	5,400	40,000	900
Cherry	1,300	9,800	700
Cheyenne	3,800	27,400	5,200
Clay	31,500	236,300	10,400
Colfax	19,000	140,600	1,300
Cuming	41,000	303,400	4,500
Custer	10,000	75,000	5,400
Dakota	5,400	40,000	1,000
Dawes	1,600	11,500	12,000
Dawson	18,500	138,700	4,000
Deuel	800	5,800	900
Dixon	17,000	125,800	3,000
Dodge	17,000	125,800	4,500
Douglas	2,200	16,300	600
Dundy	3,000	22,200	700
Fillmore	15,000	112,500	1,800
Franklin	7,000	50,400	1,200
Frontier	4,800	35,500	800

MISCELLANEOUS LIVESTOCK
PRODUCTION BY COUNTY (CONT'D)

Nebraska			1981
County	Sows(1) Farrowed	Pigs(1) Saved	All(2) Sheep
Furnas	4,500	32,400	1,800
Gage	27,000	202,500	3,000
Garden	700	5,000	1,200
Garfield	2,500	18,800	600
Gosper	4,400	31,700	400
Grant	100	800	0
Greeley	7,000	52,500	800
Hall	7,200	54,000	6,200
Hamilton	9,500	70,300	3,000
Harlan	3,700	26,600	1,400
Hayes	3,200	23,700	600
Hitchcock	6,300	46,600	700
Holt	19,700	147,700	4,000
Hooker	300	2,200	0
Howard	9,500	71,200	2,200
Jefferson	13,800	103,500	2,600
Johnson	10,500	78,800	3,200
Kearney	4,300	31,000	1,200
Keith	600	4,400	400
Keya Paha	2,400	18,000	2,900
Kimball	500	3,600	6,000
Knox	37,000	273,800	3,900
Lancaster	12,000	88,800	5,500
Lincoln	6,600	48,800	4,000
Logan	1,000	7,500	400
Loup	900	6,800	400
McPherson	700	5,200	500
Madison	21,600	159,800	2,500
Merrick	10,000	74,000	3,000
Morrill	1,200	8,600	7,000
Nance	8,300	61,400	500
Nemaha	10,300	77,200	1,500

MISCELLANEOUS LIVESTOCK
PRODUCTION BY COUNTY (CONT'D)

Nebraska			1981
County	Sows(1) Farrowed	Pigs(1) Saved	All(2) Sheep
Nuckolls	10,600	79,500	2,100
Otoe	10,000	75,000	1,600
Pawnee	8,500	63,800	3,100
Perkins	1,700	12,600	3,300
Phelps	8,000	57,600	700
Pierce	20,000	148,000	1,000
Platte	34,000	251,600	2,300
Polk	9,500	70,300	700
Red Willow	5,400	40,000	900
Richardson	7,000	52,500	1,600
Rock	1,000	7,500	800
Saline	9,500	71,200	2,300
Sarpy	1,800	13,300	3,300
Saunders	14,200	105,100	2,500
Scotts Bluff	3,400	24,500	29,500
Seward	14,000	103,600	2,900
Sheridan	2,100	15,100	5,000
Sherman	5,300	39,800	1,100
Sioux	1,000	7,200	5,000
Stanton	13,000	96,200	2,000
Thayer	6,300	47,200	1,300
Thomas	200	1,500	100
Thurston	9,000	66,600	1,400
Valley	8,500	63,800	2,400
Washington	14,000	103,600	3,300
Wayne	17,500	129,500	2,900
Webster	3,600	25,900	1,200
Wheeler	1,400	10,500	200
York	16,000	118,400	3,000
Nebraska	845,000	6,269,000	250,000

- (1) Total for year.
(2) Number on January 1.

Source: Nebraska Department of Agriculture, Nebraska Agricultural Statistics, 1980 and 1981.

INDEX OF PRICES RECEIVED BY FARMERS
(1967=100)

Nebraska		1956-1980	
Year	All Commodities	All Crops	Livestock and Livestock Products
1956	92	120	75
1957	95	108	87
1958	99	92	103
1959	96	93	98
1960	92	91	93
1961	93	94	93
1962	97	97	97
1963	94	102	90
1964	90	101	83
1965	98	100	97
1966	106	106	105
1967	100	100	100
1968	100	93	104
1969	109	94	119
1970	111	97	119
1971	114	104	121
1972	130	107	143
1973	184	176	190
1974	198	257	162
1975	196	236	172
1976	185	213	168
1977	173	176	171
1978	206	185	219
1979	247	216	267
1980	254	244	260

Source: Nebraska Department of Agriculture, Nebraska
Agricultural Statistics, 1979/Preliminary 1980.

YIELD PER ACRE - MAJOR CROPS

Crop	Nebraska			
	1980		1981	
	Irrigated	Non-Irrigated	Irrigated	Non-Irrigated
Corn for Grain (Bushels)	101.0	48.2	129.0	78.4
Sorghum for Grain (Bushels)	83.0	57.5	94.0	78.1
Wheat (Bushels)	52.0	38.0(1)	52.0	36.0(1)
Soybeans (Bushels)	37.0	28.2	46.0	37.4
Alfalfa Hay (Tons)	4.35	2.59	4.30	2.68

(1) Average for all wheat, including irrigated.

Source: Nebraska Department of Agriculture, Nebraska Agricultural Statistics, 1980 and 1981.

INDEX OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION
(1967=100)

Nebraska

Selected Years

Year	Crops				Livestock & Products				
	Grain	Hay & Forage	Miscel- laneous(1)	Seeds	All Crops	Meat Animals	Milk	Poultry Products	All Livestock & Products
1955	43	84	39	731	50	78	135	143	84
1960	98	100	61	303	96	71	118	146	77
1965	78	108	96	159	85	86	107	111	89
1966	105	97	126	138	106	92	100	100	93
1967	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1968	94	93	113	90	96	104	100	88	103
1969	116	106	149	73	117	100	94	74	98
1970	101	93	114	139	101	112	92	70	109
1971	126	106	108	119	121	111	92	73	108
1972	136	108	140	67	132	110	94	73	108
1973	143	115	183	65	142	104	90	71	102
1974	105	96	160	103	109	114	87	62	111
1975	131	100	181	95	130	102	84	63	99
1976	135	92	136	91	128	106	83	60	103
1977	165	115	200	99	160	105	79	60	102
1978	177	115	209	111	170	111	74	62	106
1979	191	116	257	81	184	116	74	67	112
1980	152	108	264	73	155	116	77	73	112

(1) Soybeans, Potatoes, Sugar Beets, Dry Edible Beans, and Popcorn.

Source: Nebraska Department of Agriculture, Nebraska Agricultural Statistics, annual.

AVERAGE PRICES RECEIVED BY FARMERS
FOR SELECTED CROPS AND LIVESTOCK

Nebraska							Selected Years		
	Seasonal Average Price in Dollars (1)								
	Wheat per bushel	Oats per bushel	Corn per bushel	Sorghum Grain per cwt.	Soybeans per bushel	Hay per ton(2)	Cattle per cwt.	Hogs per cwt.	Milk per cwt.
Year									
1910	0.82	0.30	0.44	NA	NA	8.20	5.10	8.10	1.45
1920	1.59	0.49	0.38	1.25	NA	9.00	9.70	12.80	3.10
1930	0.59	0.28	0.46	1.41	NA	6.80	9.40	8.70	2.00
1940	0.68	0.30	0.58	0.75	0.92	8.60	8.30	5.20	1.70
1950	2.04	0.78	1.45	1.81	2.40	14.40	25.20	17.70	3.71
1960	1.73	0.58	0.98	1.43	1.94	15.00	22.50	15.40	4.12
1965	1.33	0.65	1.17	1.62	2.42	19.00	22.10	20.40	3.74
1970	1.22	0.65	1.25	1.93	2.78	21.00	28.30	18.30	5.20
1971	1.24	0.66	1.11	1.66	2.99	21.00	30.50	17.10	5.34
1972	1.74	0.77	1.53	2.45	4.47	24.00	34.90	24.80	5.57
1973	2.94	0.96	1.78	3.00	6.25	29.00	44.40	39.50	6.93
1974	3.73	1.20	2.51	3.84	5.49	32.70	37.13	33.73	7.50
1975	3.69	1.57	2.87	4.50	6.01	44.25	35.74	47.84	8.17
1976	3.36	1.44	2.50	4.03	4.91	46.17	35.48	42.37	9.19
1977	2.37	1.44	2.05	3.15	7.05	51.92	37.49	40.07	9.24
1978	2.29	1.02	2.00	3.08	5.79	32.25	49.78	47.40	10.37
1979	2.83	1.24	2.25	3.45	6.63	36.29	66.23	41.43	11.89
1980	3.62	1.34	2.44	4.09	5.95	40.92	64.92	30.66	12.76
1981	3.87	1.89	3.06	4.93	7.24	57.38	58.23	43.31	13.40

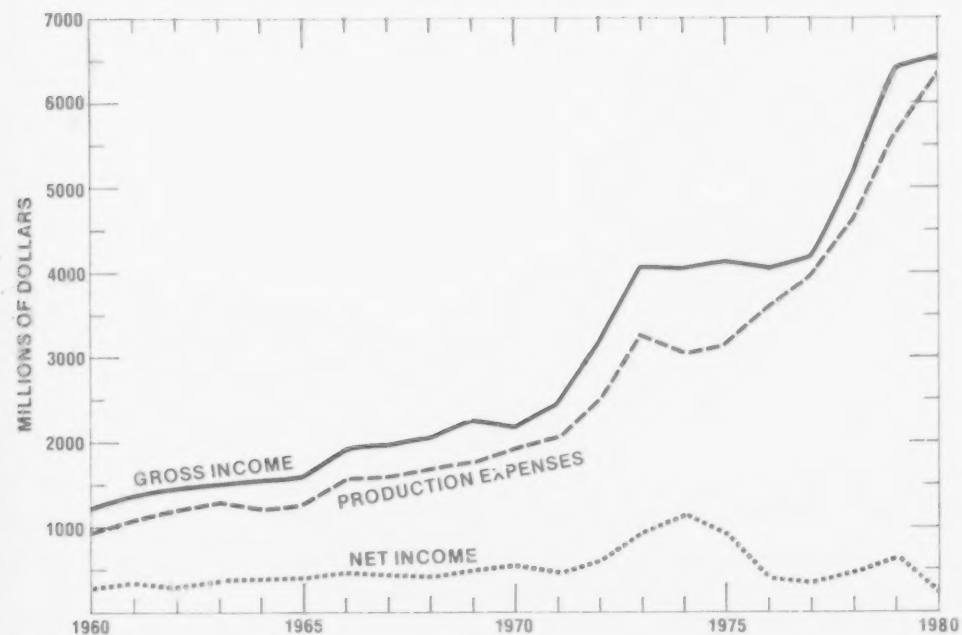
(1) Prices are based on average of monthly prices beginning: July 1 for wheat, oats, and hay, September 1 for soybeans, and October 1 for corn and sorghum grain. Calendar year average is used for livestock and livestock products.

(2) Baled hay, 1940 to date. Loose hay basis prior to 1940.

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Source: Nebraska Department of Agriculture, Nebraska Agricultural Statistics, annual.

FARM INCOME AND PRODUCTION EXPENSES

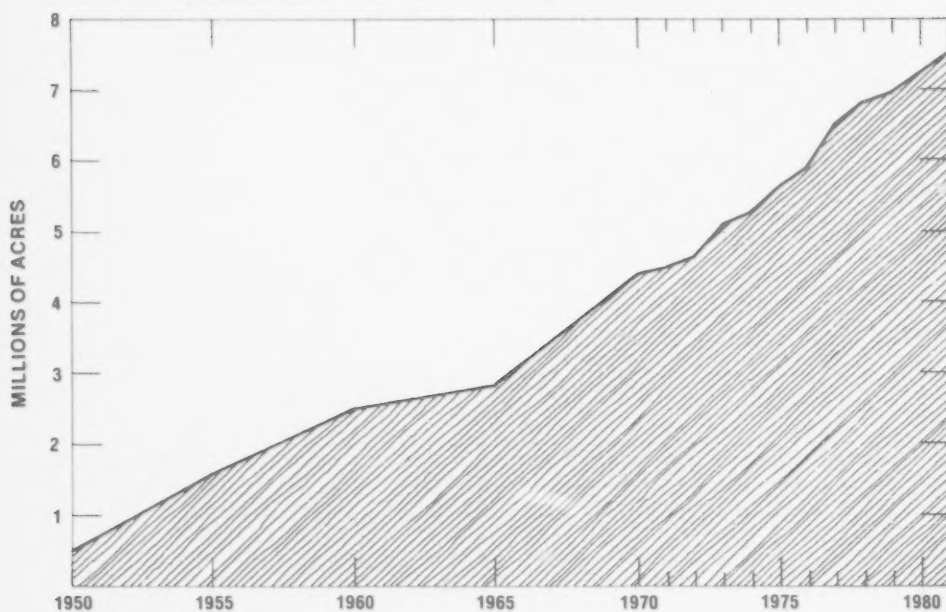


SALES OF FARM PRODUCTS (By Number of Farms)

Nebraska		Selected Years		
Value of Sales	1969	1974	1978	
Under \$2,500	9,229	5,459	4,411	
\$2,500 - 4,999	6,733	4,084	3,826	
\$5,000 - 9,999	12,114	7,531	6,242	
\$10,000 - 19,999	17,691	11,482	9,801	
\$20,000 - 39,999	15,902	15,424	13,097	
\$40,000 - 99,999	8,056	16,546	18,171	
\$100,000 - 199,000	1,647	4,899	6,855	
\$200,000 or More	867	2,143	3,469	
Total Farms	72,239	67,568	65,916	
Average Sales Per Farm	\$29,725	\$55,224	\$78,361	

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, Census of Agriculture, 1974 and 1978.

ACRES UNDER IRRIGATION



REALIZED INCOME FROM FARMING
(Thousand Dollars, except Per Farm)

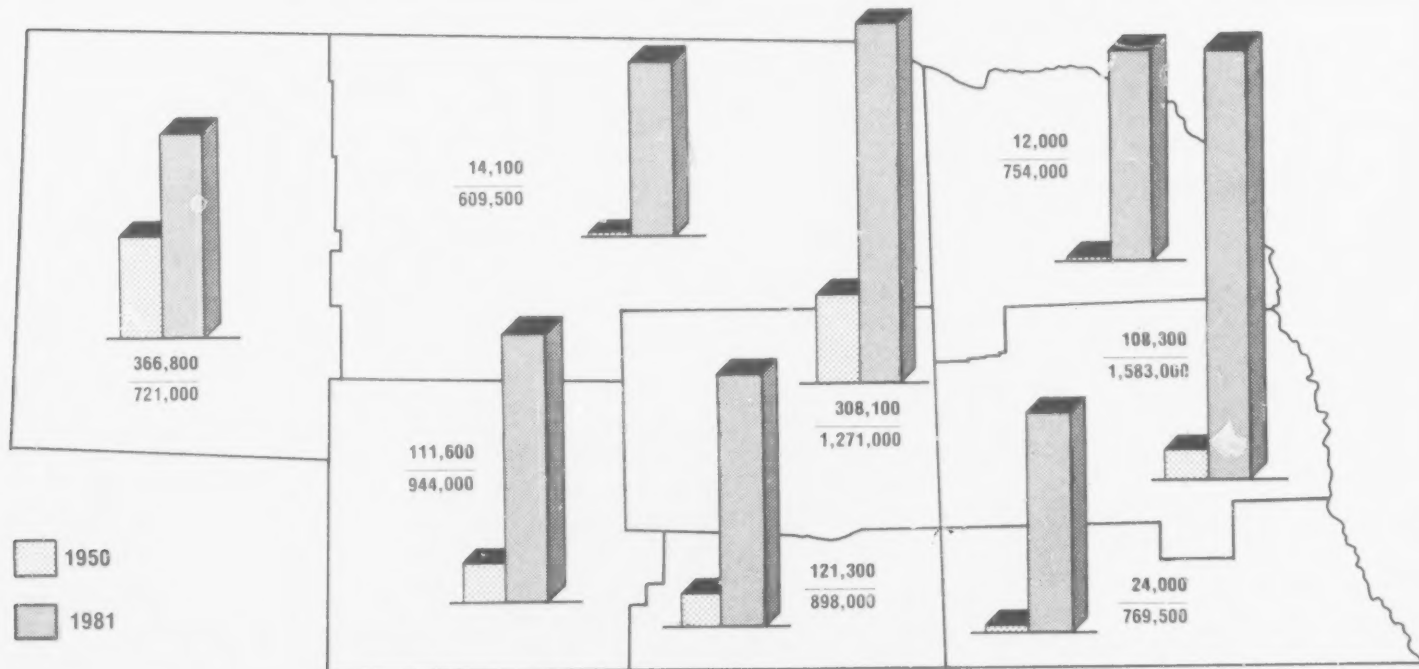
Nebraska						Selected Years			
Year	Realized Gross Farm Income					Farm Production Expenses	Realized Net Farm Income	Realized Income	
	Cash Receipts		Non- Money Income	Other Farm Income	Total			Per Farm (Dollars)	
	Farm Marketings	Government Payments						Gross	Net
1950	1,009,600	8,800	63,500	700	1,082,500	708,600	373,900	9,931	3,431
1955	1,017,700	7,700	60,400	3,900	1,089,700	747,900	341,800	10,683	3,351
1960	1,168,000	22,100	56,100	7,300	1,273,500	990,300	283,200	13,693	3,045
1961	1,233,400	88,600	61,400	7,400	1,370,800	1,075,100	295,900	15,231	3,288
1962	1,253,200	101,400	64,900	8,000	1,427,500	1,158,100	270,100	16,222	3,069
1963	1,315,600	106,900	69,000	9,000	1,500,600	1,214,300	287,500	17,449	3,343
1964	1,273,500	164,900	71,500	9,700	1,519,600	1,180,200	341,100	18,090	4,061
1965	1,343,200	184,700	73,100	11,600	1,612,600	1,298,500	316,400	19,666	3,858
1966	1,681,800	175,400	76,200	12,900	1,946,400	1,563,100	386,600	24,329	4,833
1967	1,743,700	134,500	73,500	15,400	1,967,200	1,568,700	404,700	25,220	5,188
1968	1,731,700	185,300	75,600	17,100	2,009,700	1,635,300	384,700	26,443	5,061
1969	1,961,000	200,600	79,600	18,800	2,260,000	1,814,200	460,400	30,540	6,221
1970	2,124,900	203,000	75,500	18,200	2,241,600	1,913,100	527,900	33,173	7,232
1971	2,180,500	171,000	73,400	21,600	2,446,500	2,064,000	407,400	33,979	5,659
1972	2,821,400	233,300	81,100	22,200	3,158,000	2,549,700	637,400	44,479	8,977
1973	3,958,300	151,800	96,600	27,400	4,234,000	3,301,000	933,000	60,486	13,329
1974	4,070,000	21,000	117,500	33,400	4,242,000	3,109,100	1,132,900	60,600	16,185
1975	3,859,000	71,700	127,900	41,900	4,100,500	3,226,900	873,700	59,428	12,662
1976	3,827,900	36,600	155,000	46,100	4,065,600	3,670,900	394,700	58,922	5,720
1977	3,975,000	92,900	173,000	56,400	4,297,300	3,994,400	302,900	65,111	4,590
1978	4,683,400	268,600	185,500	61,700	5,199,300	4,726,300	473,000	78,777	7,167
1979	5,918,500	132,700	238,300	77,200	6,366,700	5,749,600	617,100	97,949	9,494
1980	6,074,700	82,900	267,800	80,300	6,505,700	6,281,000	224,700	100,088	3,458

Note: Non-money income includes farm products consumed in farm households and value of housing on farms.
Other farm income is from recreation, machine hire, and custom work.

Source: U.S. Department of Agriculture, Economic Research Service, State Farm Income Statistics;
Economic Indicators of the Farm Sector: State Income and Balance Sheet Statistics, annual.

NUMBER OF ACRES IRRIGATED, 1950/1981

BY CROP REPORTING DISTRICTS



USE OF IRRIGATION AND FERTILIZERS, BY COUNTY

Nebraska								1981
County	Irrigation Wells Registered	Acres Irrigated	Tons of Fertilizer Sold in Nebraska (1)					Total
			Anhydrous Ammonia	Ammonium Nitrate	Liquid Nitrogen	Liquid & Dry Mixed	Miscel- laneous	
Adams	1,734	170,000	16,338	864	1,403	3,594	1,298	23,497
Antelope	1,328	181,000	12,999	942	6,143	9,649	5,951	35,684
Arthur	75	12,000	0	0	0	0	0	0
Banner	211	25,000	0	0	0	0	0	0
Blaine	102	14,000	*	*	*	*	*	*
Boone	1,048	115,000	11,858	2	11,087	9,183	3,755	35,883
Box Butte	823	108,000	3,867	6,782	4,527	5,424	2,191	22,791
Boyd	34	10,000	266	1,231	323	472	451	2,743
Brown	439	73,000	*	*	*	*	*	*
Buffalo	3,016	245,000	21,161	266	9,340	17,261	8,878	54,360
Burt	394	51,000	6,122	511	3,617	6,251	5,607	22,106
Butler	984	114,000	9,367	1,797	2,727	5,054	1,061	20,004
Cass	29	7,000	8,058	3,619	2,363	2,613	567	17,220
Cedar	439	57,000	5,897	2,766	2,808	10,602	4,589	26,661
Chase	1,273	165,000	6,428	292	19,221	19,511	4,608	50,060
Cherry	360	46,000	*	*	*	*	*	*
Cheyenne	413	41,000	*	*	*	*	*	*
Clay	1,893	182,000	42,927	582	3,227	6,926	6,624	60,287
Colfax	723	73,000	5,941	1,445	5,691	6,108	3,831	23,015
Cuming	283	34,000	3,256	4,421	6,107	6,821	3,544	24,148
Custer	1,569	192,000	11,596	970	9,902	7,721	6,425	36,615
Dakota	91	11,000	709	3,348	1,211	5,138	3,506	13,909
Dawes	64	20,000	*	*	*	*	*	*
Dawson	3,075	289,000	23,875	2,106	13,378	13,947	10,476	63,781

USE OF IRRIGATION AND FERTILIZERS, BY COUNTY (CONT'D)

Nebraska								1981
County	Irrigation Wells Registered	Acres Irrigated	Tons of Fertilizer Sold in Nebraska (1)					Total
			Anhydrous Ammonia	Ammonium Nitrate	Liquid Nitrogen	Liquid & Dry Mixed	Miscel- laneous	
Deuel	268	28,000	*	*	*	*	*	*
Dixon	110	20,000	1,921	819	1,103	7,376	1,954	13,173
Dodge	1,105	101,000	13,626	1,783	11,469	16,833	5,388	49,098
Douglas	218	14,000	1,775	988	1,564	2,695	1,422	8,424
Dundy	837	102,000	1,665	0	8,688	3,256	3	13,612
Fillmore	1,690	180,000	17,667	1,136	3,813	4,917	1,651	29,183
Franklin	782	77,000	10,344	206	6,919	4,052	2,566	24,286
Frontier	635	75,000	6,958	274	9,503	4,845	2,323	23,902
Furnas	597	55,000	8,018	521	10,411	7,433	2,542	28,923
Gage	452	61,000	8,629	2,611	4,111	4,903	1,244	21,559
Garden	284	37,000	*	*	*	*	*	*
Garfield	191	23,000	*	*	*	*	*	*
Gosper	567	71,000	*	*	*	*	*	*
Grant	23	3,000	0	0	0	0	0	0
Greeley	572	78,000	4,990	0	2,519	3,538	1,598	12,643
Hall	3,278	211,000	17,985	3,794	10,193	10,528	7,987	50,490
Hamilton	2,676	251,000	25,843	739	5,928	5,148	1,280	38,938
Harlan	793	75,000	4,743	731	1,428	1,070	504	8,476
Hayes	326	42,000	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hitchcock	449	64,000	2,806	0	2,310	1,575	150	6,840
Holt	2,111	250,000	17,635	3,288	33,257	23,144	32,794	110,117
Hooker	26	4,000	*	*	*	*	*	*
Howard	760	112,000	5,559	522	4,093	4,651	2,167	16,992

USE OF IRRIGATION AND FERTILIZERS, BY COUNTY (CONT'D)

Nebraska								1981
County	Irrigation Wells Registered	Acres Irrigated	Tons of Fertilizer Sold in Nebraska (1)					Total
			Anhydrous Ammonia	Ammonium Nitrate	Liquid Nitrogen	Liquid & Dry Mixed	Miscel- laneous	
Jefferson	499	63,000	9,745	1,448	4,445	5,105	1,090	21,832
Johnson	110	10,000	3,542	1,015	4,295	2,917	9	11,778
Kearney	1,565	186,000	17,609	213	4,202	4,407	3,454	29,884
Keith	839	102,000	5,834	733	6,114	5,054	2,909	20,644
Keya Paha	154	18,000	*	*	*	*	*	*
Kimball	277	30,000	*	*	*	*	*	*
Knox	290	55,000	2,769	1,401	2,599	6,328	4,016	17,114
Lancaster	251	20,000	9,160	4,581	1,713	3,450	1,601	20,504
Lincoln	1,601	190,000	11,544	1,678	8,245	12,644	3,572	37,683
Logan	149	18,000	*	*	*	*	*	*
Loup	108	15,000	0	0	0	0	0	0
McPherson	88	9,000	0	0	0	0	0	0
Madison	600	77,000	10,630	2,675	9,639	12,653	6,130	41,727
Merrick	3,680	190,000	8,305	382	22,492	9,029	10,933	51,142
Morrill	584	119,000	2,396	1,281	7,441	5,484	2,404	19,005
Nance	604	58,000	2,956	76	806	1,216	978	6,033
Nemaha	32	7,000	2,145	1,411	3,978	2,559	856	10,949
Nuckolls	519	58,000	7,022	1,567	5,155	3,112	344	17,201
Otoe	28	11,000	7,479	2,669	2,453	4,343	855	17,797
Pawnee	2	5,000	2,006	951	2,026	2,002	734	7,720
Perkins	803	121,000	8,013	0	13,167	8,017	2,048	31,245
Phelps	1,615	220,000	25,308	256	4,475	6,159	7,185	43,381
Pierce	743	95,000	3,598	577	4,584	6,179	4,176	19,114

SECTION F

MANUFACTURING
MINING AND
BUSINESS

SECTION F

MANUFACTURING, MINING, AND BUSINESS

Manufacturing employment increased from 1970 to 1979 in Nebraska by 12.9 percent. This growth was not steady, however. Mid-decade, the nationwide economic depression caused manufacturing employment to drop by 9.4 percent (8,000 persons). As the economy recovered in the second half of the decade, so did the manufacturing sector, and by 1980 manufacturing employment had increased to 96,200.

The most important manufacturing activity in Nebraska is food and kindred products, accounting for about 28.5 percent of all employment in manufacturing in 1981. Value-added in food and kindred products was more than twice as large as any other Nebraska manufacturing sector in 1978. During the 1970s, other sectors also increased their value of output substantially, with value-added in the manufacturing of machinery and chemicals experiencing particularly significant increases.

Foreign exports of Nebraska's manufacturing products totaled \$767.5 million in 1980, which was 248 percent of the \$309 million recorded for 1976 and 573 percent of the \$134 million shipped in 1972.

The leading mineral product extracted in Nebraska in 1981 was crude petroleum, which together with natural gas accounted for 76 percent of the total value of Nebraska's mineral production. Sand and gravel was second, accounting for 7 percent of the total value. Overall, the mining industry is quite small in Nebraska, employing about 1,700 in 1981.

Trade and service employment has increased very rapidly in recent years. From 1970 to 1981 employment in wholesale and retail trade increased by 35 percent to 162,500, and services employment increased by 47 percent to 120,900.

Principal sources for manufacturing, mining, and trade statistics included in this section are reports published by the U.S. Bureau of the Census, the U.S. Bureau of Mines, and the Nebraska Department of Labor.

The two digit Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) codes listed below are used in this section to identify manufacturing industry groups:

Code	Short SIC Title
20	Food and kindred products
21	Tobacco manufactures
22	Textile mill products
23	Apparel and other textile products
24	Lumber and wood products
25	Furniture and fixtures
26	Paper and allied products
27	Printing and publishing
28	Chemicals and allied products
29	Petroleum and coal products
30	Rubber, miscellaneous plastic products
31	Leather and leather products
32	Stone, clay, and glass products
33	Primary metal industries
34	Fabricated metal products
35	Machinery, except electrical
36	Electric and electronic equipment
37	Transportation equipment
38	Instruments and related products
39	Miscellaneous manufacturing industries

Source: Office of Management and Budget, Standard Industrial Classification Manual, 1972.

USE OF IRRIGATION AND FERTILIZERS, BY COUNTY (CONT'D)

Nebraska		1981						
County	Irrigation Wells Registered	Acres Irrigated	Tons of Fertilizer Sold in Nebraska (1)					Total
			Anhydrous Ammonia	Ammonium Nitrate	Liquid Nitrogen	Liquid & Dry Mixed	Miscel- laneous	
Platte	1,341	141,000	14,716	285	7,011	8,809	3,683	34,504
Polk	1,493	135,000	14,224	1,088	2,300	3,135	2,508	23,254
Red Willow	710	83,000	6,960	0	13,455	5,818	2,244	28,476
Richardson	17	3,500	2,030	3,386	4,320	4,183	2,430	15,616
Rock	585	62,000	*	*	*	*	*	*
Saline	887	78,000	11,970	1,559	3,969	4,823	3,027	25,346
Sarpy	91	9,000	2,552	760	1,700	1,128	1,151	6,524
Saunders	605	69,000	7,790	2,436	4,224	2,598	923	17,969
Scotts Bluff	437	206,000	5,915	3,206	5,791	13,778	5,864	34,554
Seward	1,088	107,000	12,442	2,271	5,306	5,070	2,331	27,419
Sheridan	481	60,000	*	*	*	*	*	*
Sherman	482	67,000	3,565	280	1,690	2,164	452	8,150
Sioux	194	47,000	0	0	0	0	0	0
Stanton	250	30,000	1,659	11	2,457	2,484	1,412	8,021
Thayer	1,104	111,000	14,702	1,293	10,700	11,162	848	38,706
Thomas	34	4,500	*	*	*	*	*	*
Thurston	63	10,000	792	2,298	3,500	3,225	885	10,700
Valley	481	77,000	6,721	378	10,174	4,502	4,107	25,881
Washington	89	22,000	3,531	1,092	2,273	1,469	1,272	9,635
Wayne	146	18,000	4,437	2,483	1,936	6,215	2,547	17,619
Webster	432	44,000	3,299	0	1,564	1,701	0	7,265
Wheeler	471	48,000	*	*	*	*	*	*
York	2,547	222,000	26,594	427	5,628	6,294	1,913	40,855
Composite	—	—	23,773	5,457	42,700	29,679	37,221	138,831
Nebraska(2)	68,319	7,500,000	650,304	100,419	462,000	470,579	271,907	1,955,209

* Included in Composite totals.

(1) Sales from July 1, 1980 to June 30, 1981.

(2) State total includes some undistributed amounts.

Source: Nebraska Department of Agriculture, Nebraska Agricultural Statistics, 1980 and 1981.

GENERAL MANUFACTURING STATISTICS

Nebraska		Selected Years Comparative Indexes & Employment								
Year	Establishments With 20 or More		All Employees		Production Workers			Percent of U.S. Employment	Index of Employ- ment Change (1977=100)	
	Total	Employees	Total	Payroll (\$1,000)	Total	Man-hours (1,000)	Wages (\$1,000)		U.S.	Nebraska
1899	1,695	NA	21,000	\$ 11,000	18,700	NA	\$ 8,800	0.43	25	24
1909	2,500	NA	29,400	19,400	24,300	NA	13,900	0.42	36	34
1919	2,385	NA	44,900	35,400	35,400	NA	44,500	0.46	50	52
1929	1,491	NA	34,800	51,300	28,200	NA	36,900	0.36	49	40
1939	1,093	NA	26,200	34,100	18,400	NA	20,200	0.27	48	30
1947	1,341	NA	47,000	119,900	37,300	NA	87,400	0.33	73	54
1954	1,423	378	59,400	223,500	43,400	93,400	150,700	0.37	82	68
1958	1,553	412	58,600	265,200	42,900	87,000	174,200	0.36	82	67
1963	1,611	474	64,900	348,000	47,000	96,700	228,500	0.38	83	74
1967	1,672	525	77,000	475,900	58,400	119,200	325,000	0.40	99	88
1968	1,648	545	79,600	513,400	59,500	118,700	345,500	0.40	100	91
1969	1,635	545	84,000	576,200	64,300	129,400	398,100	0.40	103	96
1970	1,634	565	81,300	581,200	60,000	119,800	385,800	0.42	99	93
1971	1,613	564	80,200	618,000	58,700	119,200	411,200	0.44	94	91
1972	1,723	598	84,900	704,200	63,200	127,600	469,200	0.45	98	97
1973	1,682	610	88,600	769,100	66,300	133,000	516,500	0.45	102	101
1974	1,722	637	90,400	835,100	66,600	132,700	555,900	0.46	102	103
1975	1,719	600	87,300	890,800	62,500	122,800	579,700	0.48	94	100
1976	1,720	610	87,800	986,600	63,100	125,000	634,500	0.47	96	100
1977	1,965	626	87,700	1,075,400	62,800	124,000	680,900	0.45	100	100
1978	1,819	656	92,500	1,231,600	66,900	132,900	786,500	0.45	105	105

NA -Not Available

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, County Business Patterns, annual, Census of Manufactures, and Annual Survey of Manufactures, intercensal years.

MANUFACTURING ESTABLISHMENTS BY EMPLOYMENT SIZE AND MAJOR INDUSTRY GROUP

Nebraska		1977 & 1972																			
Year & Size	Total	Number of Establishments by SIC Group																			
		20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39
1972 Total	1,723	430	0	5	42	70	36	17	355	46	7	31	4	142	19	108	203	43	38	27	67
1- 9	893	172	0	1	21	41	16	2	251	19	3	9	2	82	7	48	121	12	20	12	43
10-19	232	66	0	0	4	5	6	3	41	8	0	2	0	23	1	13	27	7	2	6	12
20-49	283	85	0	1	9	11	5	3	38	7	2	10	2	27	4	21	24	6	6	2	9
50-99	142	49	0	2	1	4	6	5	18	6	2	2	0	6	2	10	18	6	4	0	0
100-249	105	37	0	1	6	7	1	4	3	4	0	6	0	3	2	10	6	6	2	3	2
250-499	36	13	0	0	1	2	1	0	3	2	0	1	0	1	2	2	3	2	0	2	0
500-999	23	4	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3	3	4	2	1
1,000-2,499	8	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0
2,500 & Over	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
1977 Total	1,965	393	0	5	46	88	32	23	417	60	6	49	8	174	26	130	263	50	43	33	73
1- 9	1,052	139	0	2	23	53	15	7	290	31	3	21	4	115	7	63	155	20	23	15	47
10-19	287	70	0	1	8	9	5	3	60	9	0	10	0	19	4	14	45	2	5	2	13
20-49	282	82	0	0	3	11	4	6	41	8	1	7	4	31	5	19	25	10	3	6	7
50-99	154	50	0	1	5	9	3	2	17	5	1	4	0	4	3	15	17	4	5	3	2
100-249	115	32	0	0	5	5	3	5	6	6	1	4	0	5	4	11	10	9	1	1	3
250-499	41	14	0	1	2	1	1	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	2	5	4	0	1	4	1
500-999	27	5	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	4	4	5	2	0
1,000-2,499	6	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	3	0	0	0	0
2,500 & Over	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, Census of Manufactures, 1972, 1977.

FOREIGN EXPORTS OF MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS
(Million Dollars)

Nebraska		Selected Years				
Industry						
SIC Code	1960	1966	1969	1972	1976	1980
Total	34	62	100	134	309	767.5
20	18	26	42	71	143	402.5
23	Z	0-1	0-1	NA	NA	.7
24	Z	0-1	0-1	NA	1	.8
25	Z	0-1	0-1	NA	2	6.1
26	NA	0-1	0-1	NA	Z	Z
27	NA	0-1	0-1	NA	Z	.9
28	NA	1-5	1-5	NA	12	13.9
29	NA	NA	NA	NA	4	1.8
30	NA	1-5	1-5	NA	8	NA
31	NA	NA	NA	NA	1	1.4
32	NA	0-1	0-1	NA	1	.9
33	NA	0-1	0-1	NA	2	57.2
34	NA	1-5	1-5	6	19	37.5
35	8	10-12	15-23	30	67	147.7
36	NA	1-5	1-5	NA	17	16.1
37	NA	3	5-10	5	7	42.1
38	NA	1-5	5-10	NA	23	20.6
39	NA	5-10	5-10	NA	1	3.9

NA Not available separately

Z Less than \$50,000

Notes: 1. See table on page 120 for description of SIC Code and industry group.

2. Because of disclosure problems the value of exports for some groups is expressed only in a range.

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Industry and Trade Administration, State Export Series, Nebraska Exports, 1978; Bureau of the Census, 1980 Annual Survey of Manufactures: Origin of Exports of Manufactured Products, M80(AS)-6.

MINERAL PRODUCTION

Nebraska		1928-1980	
Year	Value	Year	Value
1928	\$ 3,455,000	1955	\$ 54,237,000
1929	4,845,000	1956	71,311,000
1930	4,962,000	1957	82,928,000
1931	3,623,000	1958	90,032,000
1932	1,548,000	1959	97,130,000
1933	2,047,000	1960	103,687,000
1934	2,791,000	1961	105,445,000
1935	3,229,000	1962	108,249,000
1936	3,844,000	1963	98,907,000
1937	4,838,000	1964	91,959,000
1938	4,079,000	1965	83,826,000
1939	4,390,000	1966	78,521,000
1940	4,692,000	1967	70,868,000
1941	6,499,000	1968	74,604,000
1942	8,428,000	1969	78,030,000
1943	6,830,000	1970	72,657,000
1944	5,060,000	1971	74,079,000
1945	4,963,000	1972	73,675,000
1946	7,277,000	1973	80,821,000
1947	7,405,000	1974	98,634,000
1948	9,432,000	1975	111,905,000
1949	10,102,000	1976	123,365,000
1950	14,022,000	1977	144,029,000
1951	18,469,000	1978(1)	88,373,000
1952	20,597,000	1979	99,181,000
1953	33,281,000	1980	80,474,000
1954	42,393,000	1981(P)	75,314,000

(P) Preliminary

(1) Beginning in 1978, data is for production of nonfuel minerals only.

Source: U.S. Department of the Interior, Bureau of Mines, Minerals Yearbook, annual.

PETROLEUM PRODUCTION BY COUNTIES

Nebraska		1981			
County	Producing Wells As of December 31		Production		
	Oil	Gas	Oil	Casinghead Gas	Dry Gas
Banner	204	0	655,524	109,255	0
Chase	1	0	755	0	0
Cheyenne	312	21	1,278,983	1,548,488	528,251
Deuel	0	0	0	0	29,304
Dundy	53	0	302,273	0	0
Frontier	16	0	101,051	1,002	0
Furnas	6	0	21,082	0	0
Garden	2	0	4,580	0	0
Harlan	11	0	23,385	0	0
Hitchcock	382	0	1,211,396	38	0
Kimball	352	4	1,094,163	399,102	64,764
Lincoln	1	0	990	0	0
Morrill	67	0	251,048	26,849	0
Red Willow	441	0	1,540,767	0	0
Richardson	29	0	46,379	0	0
Scotts Bluff	36	0	138,937	5,728	0
TOTAL	1,913	25	6,671,313	2,090,462	622,319

Source: Nebraska Oil and Gas Conservation Commission, Nebraska Oil Activity Summary, annual.

VALUE OF NONFUEL MINERAL PRODUCTION, BY COUNTIES
(Thousands of Dollars)

Nebraska

1978 and 1979

County	1978	1979	Minerals Produced
Antelope	\$ 434	\$ 437	Sand and gravel
Banner	126	126	Sand and gravel
Brown	W	W	Sand and gravel
Buffalo	1,053	995	Sand and gravel
Burt	W	2	Sand and gravel
Butler	519	605	Sand and gravel
Cass	W	W	Cement, stone, sand and gravel, clays
Cedar	605	368	Sand and gravel
Chase	166	126	Sand and gravel
Cherry	W	W	Sand and gravel
Cheyenne	35	55	Sand and gravel
Clay	W	W	Sand and gravel
Colfax	262	231	Sand and gravel
Cuming	1,216	1,268	Sand and gravel
Custer	785	836	Sand and gravel
Dawson	1,156	656	Sand and gravel
Deuel	92	W	Sand and gravel
Dixon	W	W	Sand and gravel, stone
Dodge	1,050	2,403	Sand and gravel
Douglas	W	W	Sand and gravel, clays
Dundy	267	5	Sand and gravel
Fillmore	W	W	Sand and gravel
Franklin	1,066	318	Sand and gravel
Frontier	W	W	Sand and gravel
Furnas	135	92	Sand and gravel
Gage	1,239	1,368	Sand and gravel, stone
Garden	W	W	Sand and gravel
Garfield	24	24	Sand and gravel
Grant	--	1	Sand and gravel
Greeley	W	W	Sand and gravel
Hall	1,516	1,426	Sand and gravel
Hamilton	W	W	Sand and gravel
Hayes	W	W	Sand and gravel
Hitchcock	W	W	Sand and gravel
Holt	914	745	Sand and gravel, stone
Hooker	8	—	Sand and gravel
Howard	235	235	Sand and gravel
Jefferson	W	W	Sand and gravel, clays
Kearney	59	62	Sand and gravel
Keith	110	105	Sand and gravel
Kimball	5	5	Sand and gravel
Knox	281	265	Sand and gravel
Lancaster	W	478	Stone, clays, sand and gravel
Lincoln	819	703	Sand and gravel

VALUE ADDED BY SELECTED MANUFACTURING
(Thousands of Dollars)

Nebraska Industry	Selected Years					
	1958	1963	1967	1972	1977	1978
ALL INDUSTRIES	536,317	746,597	1,150,000	1,733,400	2,867,100	3,249,700
Food and Kindred Products	264,967	316,634	428,700	581,000	829,700	961,000
Lumber and Wood Products	4,319	7,065	7,300	30,800	52,500	58,400
Furniture and Fixtures	8,093	11,534	19,500	31,200	40,300	50,500
Printing and Publishing	40,861	50,734	59,600	92,800	150,700	147,000
Chemicals and Allied Products	27,023	41,974	91,700	92,700	245,500	237,100
Rubber and Plastic Products	9,799	15,575	(D)	56,100	(D)	(D)
Stone, Clay, Glass Products	22,576	31,225	32,100	53,700	83,000	88,000
Primary Metal Industries	20,383	26,000	57,900	88,300	105,300	141,100
Fabricated Metal Products	39,552	40,312	67,800	115,100	207,400	273,500
Machinery, except Electrical	27,588	49,979	102,100	192,200	409,500	449,600
Electric, Electronic Equipment	22,796	64,379	80,700	171,600	264,000	267,100
Transportation Equipment	16,724	34,095	51,300	68,500	118,100	151,400
Instruments, Related Products	NA	22,593	36,600	82,400	145,600	151,700
Miscellaneous Manufacturing	7,192	14,092	16,500	18,800	25,800	30,300

(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing figures for individual companies

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, Census of Manufactures, 1958, 1963, 1967, 1972, 1977, and Annual Survey of Manufactures, 1978.

MANUFACTURING STATISTICS FOR COUNTIES

Nebraska					1977				
County	Establishments		Value Added (Million Dollars)	Capital Expendi- tures, New	County	Establishments		Value Added (Million Dollars)	Capital Expendi- tures, New
	Total	With 20 or More Employees				Total	With 20 or More Employees		
Adams	70	21	\$ 70.8	\$ 3.0	Dixon	5	1	\$ (D)	\$ (D)
Antelope	12	2	3.8	0.3	Dodge	65	26	112.8	2.7
Arthur	2	0	(D)	(D)	Douglas	560	212	1,097.5	(D)
Blaine	1	0	(D)	(D)	Dundy	1	0	(D)	(D)
Boone	3	0	(D)	(D)	Fillmore	8	0	0.8	(Z)
Box Butte	11	2	(D)	(D)	Franklin	2	0	(D)	(D)
Boyd	4	0	(D)	(D)	Frontier	3	0	(D)	(D)
Brown	4	0	0.6	(Z)	Furnas	16	2	2.3	0.2
Buffalo	51	17	77.3	4.6	Gage	22	12	50.7	3.0
Burt	11	1	3.6	0.2	Garden	5	2	(D)	(D)
Butler	9	1	(D)	(D)	Garfield	3	1	(D)	(D)
Cass	12	2	(D)	(D)	Gosper	4	0	0.2	(Z)
Cedar	12	1	(D)	(D)	Grant	1	0	(D)	(D)
Chase	7	0	0.9	(Z)	Greeley	4	0	0.1	(Z)
Cherry	9	0	1.0	(Z)	Hall	73	29	148.2	6.1
Cheyenne	11	4	6.3	0.6	Hamilton	12	2	7.5	0.2
Clay	5	1	(D)	(D)	Harlan	4	0	(D)	(D)
Colfax	14	2	(D)	(D)	Hayes	3	0	(Z)	(D)
Cuming	12	4	(D)	(D)	Hitchcock	4	2	(D)	(D)
Custer	15	3	(D)	(D)	Holt	12	2	(D)	(D)
Dakota	21	8	(D)	(D)	Hooker	2	0	(D)	(D)
Dawes	10	3	1.0	0.1	Howard	1	0	(D)	(D)
Dawson	49	21	81.7	5.4	Jefferson	13	5	10.1	1.2
Deuel	4	0	(D)	(D)	Johnson	5	1	(D)	(D)

MANUFACTURING STATISTICS FOR COUNTIES (Cont'd)

Nebraska					1977				
County	Establishments		Value Added (Million Dollars)	Capital Expendi- tures, New (Million Dollars)	County	Establishments		Value Added (Million Dollars)	Capital Expendi- tures, New (Million Dollars)
	Total	With 20 or More Employees				Total	With 20 or More Employees		
Kearney	10	1	\$ (D)	\$ (D)	Polk	5	1	\$ 0.6	\$ 0.1
Keith	16	3	17.9	0.4	Red Willow	15	7	18.7	1.5
Keya Paha	1	0	(D)	(D)	Richardson	16	5	25.3	0.3
Kimball	11	2	2.2	0.2	Rock	3	1	(D)	(D)
Knox	15	0	0.2	0.1	Saline	16	8	69.2	4.0
Lancaster	217	75	(D)	(D)	Sarpy	38	7	32.0	(D)
Lincoln	25	5	9.7	1.2	Saunders	22	7	9.3	0.3
Logan	1	0	(D)	(D)	Scotts Bluff	59	21	77.7	3.2
Madison	52	20	104.0	7.7	Seward	14	2	(D)	(D)
Merrick	9	1	2.6	0.1	Sheridan	11	1	(D)	(D)
Morrill	8	1	(D)	(D)	Sherman	3	0	(D)	(D)
Nance	5	0	0.1	(Z)	Stanton	3	0	(D)	(D)
Nemaha	9	4	12.0	0.2	Thayer	11	2	(D)	(D)
Nuckolls	8	3	12.8	(D)	Thomas	1	0	(D)	(D)
Otoe	18	11	31.4	(D)	Thurston	12	3	6.7	0.3
Pawnee	3	1	(D)	(D)	Valley	6	2	0.8	(D)
Perkins	2	0	(D)	(D)	Washington	21	3	6.8	0.3
Phelps	13	4	(D)	(D)	Wayne	9	2	1.1	0.1
Pierce	4	1	(D)	(D)	Webster	5	0	0.3	(Z)
Platte	51	21	112.7	5.2	York	30	9	18.2	1.1

(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing figures for individual companies

(Z) Less than \$50,000

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, Census of Manufactures, 1977.

MINERAL PRODUCTION BY TYPE

Nebraska		Selected Years			
Year	Clays (Tons)	Natural Gas (Million Cubic Feet)	Petroleum (42 Gallon Barrels)	Sand and Gravel (Tons)	Stone (Tons)
1930	13,000	—	—	3,444,000	103,000
1935	10,000	—	—	2,029,000	203,000
1940	10,000	—	276,000	3,052,000	833,000
1945	36,000	—	305,000	3,882,000	298,000
1950	154,000	—	1,547,000	5,078,000	737,000
1955	151,000	12,515	11,203,000	8,405,000	3,081,000
1960	108,000	15,258	24,428,000	10,876,000	3,336,000
1965	141,000	10,720	17,216,000	11,993,000	4,198,000
1970	90,000	5,991	11,451,000	12,232,000	4,265,000
1971	69,000	3,496	10,062,000	13,224,000	4,174,000
1972	115,000	3,478	8,705,000	13,720,000	4,251,000
1973	158,000	3,836	7,240,000	15,906,000	5,368,000
1974	182,000	2,538	6,611,000	13,231,000	4,630,000
1975	195,000	2,565	6,120,000	11,759,000	4,242,000
1976	149,000	2,511	6,182,000	14,230,000	4,101,000
1977	161,000	2,789	5,968,000	16,848,000	4,128,000
1978	163,000	2,882	5,859,000	17,000,000	4,030,000
1979	156,000	2,600	6,068,000	16,197,000	4,995,000
1980	154,000	2,500	6,240,000	10,538,000	3,775,000
1981(P)	120,000	2,090	6,671,000	10,100,000	3,280,000

(P) Preliminary

Source: U.S. Department of the Interior, Bureau of Mines, Minerals Yearbook, annual and Minerals in the Economy of Nebraska, annual; Nebraska Oil & Gas Conservation Commission, Nebraska Oil Activity Summary, annual.

PRODUCTION AND VALUE OF NONFUEL MINERALS

Nebraska

1980 & 1981

Commodity	Units	1980		1981	
		Quantity	Value (Thousands)	Quantity	Value (Thousands)
Clays	Thousand tons	154	456	120	390
Natural Gas	Million cubic feet	1,900	2,377	2,090	NA
Petroleum (crude)	Thousand 42-gallon barrels	6,240	185,505	6,671	NA
Sand and Gravel	Thousand tons	10,538	22,981	10,100	22,300
Stone (crushed)	Thousand tons	3,775	16,301	3,280	15,690
Gem Stones	---	---	(W)	---	10
Other (1)	---	---	40,736	---	36,924
TOTAL	---	---	271,827	---	75,314

NA Not available

(W) Withheld to avoid disclosure of company data, value included in Other.

(1) Combined value of cement (masonry and Portland), lime and values indicated by symbol (W)

Sources: U.S. Department of the Interior, Bureau of Mines; Nebraska Geological Survey, Conservation and Survey Division, Nebraska Minerals Operation Review, annual.

VALUE OF NONFUEL MINERAL PRODUCTION, BY COUNTIES
(Thousands of Dollars)

Nebraska

1978 and 1979

County	1978	1979	Minerals produced
Loup	\$ 97	\$ 80	Sand and gravel
Madison	1,249	786	Sand and gravel
Merrick	471	554	Sand and gravel
Morrill	W	W	Sand and gravel, lime
Nance	515	320	Sand and gravel
Nemaha	W	W	Stone, sand and gravel
Nuckolls	W	W	Cement, and and gravel, stone
Otoe	W	W	Stone
Pawnee	W	W	Stone
Perkins	17	7	Sand and gravel
Phelps	W	W	Sand and gravel
Pierce	448	98	Sand and gravel
Platte	1,178	1,201	Sand and gravel
Polk	189	245	Sand and gravel
Red Willow	299	256	Sand and gravel
Richardson	W	1	Stone, sand and gravel
Rock	W	W	Sand and gravel
Saline	52	3	Sand and gravel
Sarpy	W	977	Stone, sand and gravel, clays
Saunders	W	W	Sand and gravel, stone
Scotts Bluff	W	W	Sand and gravel, lime
Seward	35	46	Stone
Sheridan	265	221	Sand and gravel
Stanton	263	W	Sand and gravel
Thayer	966	W	Sand and gravel
Thomas	W	W	Sand and gravel
Valley	35	722	Sand and gravel
Washington	W	W	Stone
Webster	318	W	Sand and gravel
York	199	W	Sand and gravel
Undistributed(1)	62,594	79,726	
TOTAL	83,373	98,181	

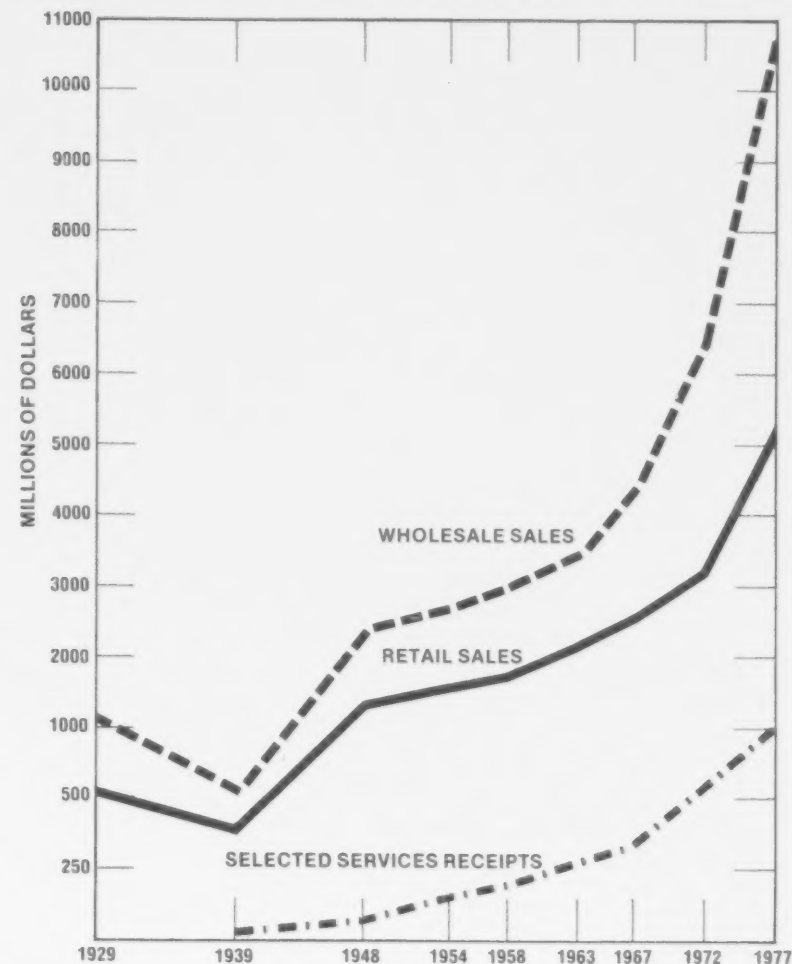
Note: No production reported for Adams, Arthur, Blaine, Boone, Box Butte, Boyd, Dakota, Dawes, Gosper, Harlan, Johnson, Keya Paha, Logan, McPherson, Sherman, Sioux, Thurston, Wayne or Wheeler counties.

W Withheld to avoid disclosing company proprietary data but included in Undistributed.

(1) Includes gem stones and values indicated by the symbol W

Source: U.S. Department of the Interior, Bureau of Mines, 1980 Minerals Yearbook, annual.

RETAIL & WHOLESALE TRADE SALES, SELECTED SERVICES RECEIPTS



TRADE AND SELECTED SERVICES
(Sales and Receipts in Millions of Dollars)

Nebraska					Selected Years	
Year	Retail Trade		Wholesale Trade		Selected Services	
	Establishments	Sales	Establishments	Sales	Establishments	Receipts
1929	16,682	\$ 554	2,886	\$1,053	(1)	(1)
1939	19,330	397	3,378	565	7,619	\$ 26
1948	16,873	1,317	3,183	2,354	5,342	63
1954	17,033	1,588	3,006	2,668	7,662	154
1958	16,819	1,730	3,186	2,969	8,797	192
1963	16,057	2,096	3,199	3,403	10,045	257
1967	16,907	2,555	3,158	4,385	11,219	323
1972	15,339 ⁽²⁾	3,181	4,262	6,391	13,319	571
1977	15,249	5,145	4,164	10,648	14,801	976

(1) First census of Service Industries covered year of 1933.

(2) Direct Sellers with no employees were excluded beginning in 1972.

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, Statistical Abstract of the United States, annual and Censuses of Retail Trade, Wholesale Trade, and Selected Services Industries, census years.

TRADE AND SERVICE ESTABLISHMENTS BY EMPLOYMENT SIZE

Nebraska		1980							
Kind of Business	Total Establish- ments	Number of Establishments by Employment-Size Class							
		1 to 4	5 to 9	10 to 19	20 to 49	50 to 99	100 to 249	250 to 499	500 or more
Wholesale	4,016	1,589	1,067	784	448	96	27	4	1
Durable Goods	1,923	701	502	425	233	47	12	3	0
Nondurable Goods	2,047	877	556	351	205	41	15	1	1
Retail Trade	10,611	5,254	2,625	1,472	918	237	85	16	4
Building Materials & Garden Sup.	800	456	222	84	33	5	0	0	0
General Merchandise	362	107	72	46	66	27	33	10	1
Food Stores	1,129	438	304	192	145	42	7	1	0
Automotive Dealers & Service Sta.	1,963	1,044	533	251	103	26	6	0	0
Apparel & Accessories	971	488	293	132	48	7	3	0	0
Furniture & Home Furnishings	583	344	152	59	23	4	0	1	0
Eating & Drinking Places	2,694	1,180	476	495	406	110	27	0	0
Miscellaneous Retail	2,019	1,173	550	202	78	12	4	0	0
Administrative & Auxiliary	90	24	23	11	16	4	5	4	3

TRADE AND SERVICE ESTABLISHMENTS BY EMPLOYMENT SIZE (CONT'D)

Nebraska		1980							
Kind of Business	Total Establish- ments	Number of Establishments by Employment-Size Class							
		1	5	10	20	50	100	250	500
		to 4	to 9	to 19	to 49	to 99	to 249	to 499	or more
Selected Services	9,574	5,899	1,799	930	581	219	107	24	15
Hotels & Other Lodging Places	412	231	69	41	41	16	13	1	0
Personal Services	1,299	937	246	80	25	9	2	0	0
Business Services	981	528	183	117	88	34	25	5	1
Auto Repair, Services & Garages	833	572	181	58	17	5	0	0	0
Misc. Repair Services	424	307	79	25	12	0	1	0	0
Motion Pictures	122	47	27	38	10	0	0	0	0
Amusement & Recreation Services	414	212	78	53	54	16	1	0	0
Health Services	1,952	1,155	373	161	114	85	40	12	12
Legal Services	649	501	90	39	17	1	0	1	0
Educational Services	186	62	23	38	41	7	12	2	1
Social Services	439	203	113	68	31	18	4	1	1
Museums, Botanical, zoological gard.	10	6	2	0	1	1	0	0	0
Membership Organizations	1,314	838	222	144	89	18	2	1	0
Miscellaneous Services	506	281	107	65	39	9	4	1	0
Administrative & Auxiliary	33	19	6	3	2	0	3	0	0
Nonclassifiable	1,780	1,607	143	23	7	0	0	0	0

Note: Does not include Government or railroad employees, self-employed persons or farm or domestic service workers.

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, County Business Patterns, 1980.

NET TAXABLE RETAIL SALES, BY COUNTY
(In thousands of Dollars)

Nebraska		Selected Years				
County	1970	1975	1978	1979	1980	1981
Adams	\$72,412	\$129,049	\$160,413	\$173,291	\$176,220	\$183,942
Antelope	11,986	24,350	26,133	29,178	29,634	32,753
Arthur	329	455	639	708	768	825
Banner	76	197	179	283	230	163
Blaine	697	1,107	1,310	1,484	1,714	1,874
Boone	13,123	21,687	28,009	31,786	30,971	32,931
Box Butte	19,973	38,900	57,236	66,564	70,245	74,869
Boyd	4,291	6,446	8,148	9,298	8,689	8,184
Brown	7,861	14,315	20,209	23,280	23,850	23,840
Buffalo	63,137	124,488	167,208	190,898	197,498	208,698
Burt	13,480	23,062	29,091	33,270	32,033	31,378
Butler	11,011	18,016	22,949	25,411	25,745	25,079
Cass	19,633	29,069	38,950	43,564	44,582	46,919
Cedar	14,556	24,361	34,320	38,992	36,575	37,982
Chase	8,171	21,539	24,063	26,163	27,899	29,040
Cherry	11,449	18,835	26,172	30,768	30,650	31,632
Cheyenne	19,376	31,920	37,123	42,318	43,727	47,435
Clay	10,871	22,687	26,274	28,873	29,319	28,901
Colfax	15,983	26,478	34,525	40,454	40,360	41,463
Cuming	16,469	29,101	43,738	51,023	47,454	48,463
Custer	23,879	39,472	47,719	57,456	59,611	62,514
Dakota	24,566	36,886	46,237	49,753	50,078	53,942
Dawes	16,020	27,669	37,604	43,206	42,527	44,907
Dawson	42,046	79,664	101,175	117,253	118,103	121,909
Deuel	4,430	6,380	7,631	8,653	8,779	9,471

NET TAXABLE RETAIL SALES, BY COUNTY (CONT'D)
(In thousands of Dollars)

Nebraska	Selected Years					
County	1970	1975	1978	1979	1980	1981
Dixon	\$ 6,235	\$ 9,241	\$ 12,004	\$ 12,504	\$ 12,016	\$ 12,361
Dodge	75,923	131,334	168,857	188,339	187,073	195,489
Douglas	1,014,799	1,551,987	2,139,236	2,317,205	2,426,739	2,588,420
Dundy	3,896	7,246	8,601	8,780	10,112	10,502
Fillmore	13,497	26,346	30,014	34,671	34,190	33,539
Franklin	6,443	11,281	12,669	14,374	14,629	14,124
Frontier	3,565	6,365	7,219	8,155	8,439	9,394
Furnas	10,536	17,775	20,412	22,728	24,390	24,768
Gage	41,142	67,221	89,494	100,062	101,112	107,086
Garden	3,838	6,217	8,209	8,825	8,594	8,238
Garfield	3,890	7,195	8,770	10,409	10,602	10,426
Gosper	2,368	5,626	6,218	7,262	8,280	7,462
Grant	1,555	1,926	2,244	2,617	3,097	3,051
Greeley	4,717	6,192	8,118	9,536	9,567	9,321
Hall	114,540	220,752	296,952	332,694	355,734	366,315
Hamilton	12,063	23,658	27,402	30,809	33,421	31,274
Harlan	6,129	10,220	12,602	14,308	14,797	15,274
Hayes	339	473	789	848	884	870
Hitchcock	3,728	5,856	6,229	7,490	8,482	8,883
Holt	21,114	40,395	54,982	66,588	67,439	68,982
Hooker	1,495	2,087	2,811	3,307	3,313	3,400
Howard	8,037	13,497	18,125	21,618	20,844	20,700
Jefferson	20,425	32,102	40,662	48,381	43,435	43,526
Johnson	7,528	11,275	15,474	17,119	17,100	17,697
Kearney	9,657	18,542	22,770	25,208	26,868	27,373

NET TAXABLE RETAIL SALES, BY COUNTY (CONT'D)
(In Thousands of Dollars)

Nebraska	Selected Years					
County	1970	1975	1978	1979	1980	1981
	\$ 19,516	\$ 42,774	\$ 50,313	\$ 57,776	\$ 57,651	\$ 60,906
Keith	804	1,071	1,429	1,792	1,780	1,679
Keya Paha	13,443	21,577	26,277	30,505	35,514	39,706
Kimball	14,939	27,042	34,163	39,399	38,057	37,770
Knox	367,380	635,356	834,397	931,840	986,486	1,045,963
Lancaster	66,021	124,022	170,200	192,061	186,012	190,768
Lincoln	820	934	1,093	1,311	1,240	1,193
Logan	424	625	835	810	872	853
Loup	67,749	135,406	178,174	201,468	197,240	210,241
Madison	148	131	150	159	166	167
McPherson	12,891	23,646	26,039	30,348	29,571	30,566
Merrick	8,878	19,095	23,618	26,431	27,328	27,729
Morrill	5,168	8,072	10,811	12,046	12,356	11,914
Nance	13,693	19,419	25,338	27,485	27,393	28,566
Nemaha	12,424	20,207	26,684	29,911	30,222	31,688
Nuckolls	29,393	46,965	62,768	68,805	67,221	67,633
Otoe	4,353	6,840	8,845	9,578	9,348	9,233
Pawnee	6,015	14,355	16,123	18,114	18,189	18,763
Perkins	21,846	48,258	55,206	59,969	62,228	66,981
Phelps	8,798	17,355	22,080	24,599	23,674	25,920
Pierce	57,209	102,494	143,057	171,189	162,901	176,677
Platte	7,220	13,945	19,397	21,397	20,722	20,577
Polk	32,527	57,550	70,834	82,291	84,678	90,942
Red Willow	20,749	32,664	39,498	43,536	42,487	43,563
Richardson	4,045	10,822	11,870	15,293	13,922	15,954
Rock						

NET TAXABLE RETAIL SALES, BY COUNTY (CONT'D)
(In Thousands of Dollars)

Nebraska		Selected Years				
County	1970	1975	1978	1979	1980	1981
Saline	\$ 21,378	\$ 37,535	\$ 49,950	\$ 55,301	\$ 53,940	\$ 54,222
Sarpy	54,622	92,979	125,596	135,490	142,810	173,457
Saunders	23,639	35,398	48,473	54,587	51,578	52,665
Scotts Bluff	77,039	146,155	182,312	203,321	217,229	231,410
Seward	21,825	39,281	47,610	54,435	54,651	56,979
Sheridan	14,830	25,964	33,575	38,653	40,379	40,961
Sherman	5,637	8,197	11,084	12,888	11,561	10,730
Sioux	723	1,130	1,497	1,721	1,889	2,041
Stanton	3,730	6,382	7,149	7,841	7,784	7,776
Thayer	12,319	21,332	25,020	28,686	29,397	31,189
Thomas	1,462	1,911	2,874	3,394	3,331	3,090
Thurston	6,868	10,086	11,056	12,287	11,285	10,464
Valley	11,042	18,097	22,823	26,109	24,927	25,235
Washington	20,308	32,735	45,167	49,773	50,180	51,562
Wayne	12,634	21,959	32,665	38,133	37,059	38,011
Webster	7,183	11,361	13,794	15,743	14,744	15,449
Wheeler	468	842	1,484	1,522	1,942	1,673
York	29,394	61,332	72,490	82,093	85,018	87,116
Nebraska	\$2,964,840	\$5,361,337	\$7,085,630	\$8,298,524	\$8,193,715	\$8,666,853

Note: Sum of the Counties may not equal Nebraska total due to rounding and unallocated tax. Motor Vehicle sales are not included after 1969.

Source: Nebraska Department of Revenue, Annual Report.

RETAIL TRADE BY ESTABLISHMENTS AND SALES

Nebraska	1972 and 1977			
	Establishments		Sales (\$000)	
	1972	1977	1972	1977
Kind of Business				
Total Retail Trade	15,339	15,249	3,180,667	5,145,305
Building Materials, Hardware, Garden Supply and Mobile Home Dealers	1,090	1,142	209,367	356,567
General Merchandise Stores	515	447	449,433	685,767
Food Stores	1,536	1,422	614,725	971,945
Automotive Dealers	1,129	1,258	630,155	1,094,047
Gasoline Service Stations	2,265	1,732	322,117	529,836
Apparel and Accessory Stores	907	988	158,027	235,462
Furniture, Home Furnishings and Equip. Stores	977	1,191	175,758	261,423
Eating and Drinking Places	3,347	3,189	278,922	474,087
Drug Stores and Proprietary Stores	457	421	108,768	138,749
Miscellaneous Retail Stores	3,116	3,459	233,395	397,422

Note: Direct selling nonstore retailers with no paid help were excluded in 1977. Data shown for 1972 were adjusted to reflect this change.

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, Census of Retail Trade, 1972, 1977.

RETAIL TRADE BY COUNTY

Nebraska

1972 and 1977

County	Establishments		Sales (\$000)		County	Establishments		Sales (\$000)	
	1972	1977	1972	1977		1972	1977	1972	1977
Adams	351	311	\$77,843	\$120,457	Dixon	93	74	\$ 7,639	\$ 7,298
Antelope	118	102	16,636	22,463	Dodge	466	382	80,508	125,321
Arthur	7	8	(D)	186	Douglas	3,344	2,998	1,011,090	1,533,804
Banner	5	5	(D)	(D)	Dundy	53	37	4,214	5,397
Blaine	13	11	1,619	1,866	Fillmore	105	113	12,231	14,985
Boone	128	114	12,748	19,191	Franklin	82	61	5,327	7,182
Box Butte	151	136	22,194	37,898	Frontier	44	33	3,664	4,597
Boyd	72	56	4,375	4,480	Furnas	119	114	10,828	15,322
Brown	74	79	9,574	12,410	Gage	333	280	45,104	69,373
Buffalo	431	383	76,860	126,066	Garden	52	48	3,940	4,674
Burt	120	105	12,179	17,972	Garfield	35	25	3,537	5,604
Butler	121	110	8,720	14,697	Gosper	19	21	1,608	1,913
Cass	204	175	22,268	36,053	Grant	16	18	1,746	1,165
Cedar	141	130	12,171	18,392	Greeley	52	44	3,487	7,605
Chase	69	65	8,105	14,267	Hall	538	512	127,286	204,830
Cherry	112	104	14,148	21,195	Hamilton	103	97	15,034	23,225
Cheyenne	172	137	23,639	39,905	Harlan	83	70	8,347	8,322
Clay	107	106	7,474	11,687	Hayes	19	14	1,003	1,901
Colfax	144	120	16,137	22,186	Hitchcock	43	41	2,405	3,733
Cuming	129	118	15,658	27,941	Holt	199	178	24,891	35,946
Custer	210	184	25,148	34,484	Hooker	18	18	2,336	2,452
Dakota	167	141	29,499	48,293	Howard	82	81	8,020	10,417
Dawes	143	132	21,366	30,783	Jefferson	153	127	20,347	29,777
Dawson	295	292	46,935	74,519	Johnson	80	74	6,426	8,844
Deuel	45	40	5,336	7,868	Kearney	89	74	8,509	13,119

RETAIL TRADE BY COUNTY (CONT'D)

Nebraska

1972 and 1977

County	Establishments		Sales (\$000)		County	Establishments		Sales (\$000)	
	1972	1977	1972	1977		1972	1977	1972	1977
Keith	156	152	\$ 25,398	\$ 47,959	Red Willow	189	180	\$ 36,017	\$ 54,552
Keya Paha	11	16	751	646	Richardson	175	161	24,420	32,898
Kimball	93	91	13,179	22,566	Rock	33	30	2,966	4,183
Knox	178	151	12,337	22,360	Saline	167	144	22,460	36,028
Lancaster	1,522	1,400	412,968	661,654	Sarpy	326	383	93,779	151,170
Lincoln	395	355	81,723	141,015	Saunders	198	193	23,413	35,679
Logan	9	9	690	(D)	Scotts Bluff	468	441	97,016	147,578
Loup	15	9	686	(D)	Seward	160	152	23,265	43,724
McPherson	6	4	422	(D)	Sheridan	136	138	18,561	30,531
Madison	366	364	70,508	130,247	Sherman	62	51	5,271	6,669
Merrick	113	79	12,680	16,022	Sioux	13	12	858	1,103
Morrill	88	72	7,379	12,324	Stanton	33	35	2,700	4,077
Nance	56	51	4,542	4,583	Thayer	113	104	13,244	22,644
Nemaha	134	101	14,508	19,332	Thomas	24	18	1,674	3,714
Nuckolls	109	99	14,570	18,786	Thurston	73	53	8,705	11,052
Otoe	217	203	30,773	50,034	Valley	106	91	11,700	18,035
Pawnee	56	51	6,695	6,811	Washington	148	154	27,009	38,426
Perkins	45	46	4,145	7,225	Wayne	112	94	16,647	24,518
Phelps	137	134	23,103	35,474	Webster	71	74	6,875	8,620
Pierce	120	95	12,122	15,685	Wheeler	10	8	358	793
Platte	368	319	59,961	98,646	York	215	176	31,643	50,616
Polk	83	58	6,328	12,021					

(D) - Withheld to avoid disclosures.

Note: Non-employer direct sellers are included in 1972 data but excluded in 1977 data.

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, Census of Retail Trade, 1972, 1977.

WHOLESALE TRADE BY ESTABLISHMENTS AND SALES
(Sales in Thousands of Dollars)

Nebraska Kind of Business	Establishments		Selected Years Sales	
	1972	1977	1972	1977
Wholesale Trade, Total	4,262	4,164	\$6,391,394	\$10,648,164
Motor Vehicles and Automotive Parts and Supplies	388	428	704,160	1,388,935
Furniture and Home Furnishings	55	52	60,351	95,208
Lumber and Other Construction Materials	89	99	165,009	281,319
Sporting, Recreational and Hobby Goods	36	30	46,365	41,518
Metals and Minerals, except Petroleum	34	22	62,104	106,884
Electrical Goods	142	169	267,131	332,745
Hardware, Plumbing, Heating Equipment, Supplies	134	144	125,824	258,998
Machinery, Equipment and Supplies	878	945	806,290	1,344,606
Scrap and Waste Materials	48	38	(D)	36,013
Jewelry, Watches and Precious Stones	13	10	(D)	5,352
Paper and Paper Products	54	59	53,952	126,813
Drugs, Proprietaries and Sundries	32	29	63,418	95,691
Apparel, Piece Goods and Notions	17	18	11,915	10,432
Groceries and Related Products	261	223	672,089	1,397,290
Farm-Product Raw Materials	705	747	2,222,857	3,189,952
Chemicals and Allied Products	36	46	90,324	118,835
Petroleum and Petroleum Products	559	370	250,817	480,367
Beer, Wine and Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	69	76	104,185	153,544
Farm Supplies	582	535	420,341	1,034,282
Tobacco and Tobacco Products	26	23	48,148	72,801
Other Products, n.e.c.	104	101	(D)	76,579

(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing figures for individual companies.

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, Census of Wholesale Trade, 1972, 1977.

WHOLESALE TRADE BY COUNTY
(Sales in Thousands of Dollars)

Nebraska					1972 and 1977				
County	Establishments		Sales		County	Establishments		Sales	
	1972	1977	1972	1977		1972	1977	1972	1977
Adams	70	88	\$ 97,589	\$223,390	Deuel	10	6	\$ 19,636	\$ 22,355
Antelope	46	40	31,379	57,857	Dixon	16	14	5,934	30,282
Arthur	1	0	(D)	0	Dodge	108	107	108,020	217,949
Banner	0	1	0	(D)	Douglas	1,062	1,058	3,190,469	4,834,931
Blaine	0	2	0	(D)	Dundy	15	11	7,789	12,074
Boone	34	33	25,805	36,706	Fillmore	46	43	32,911	75,013
Box Butte	41	34	41,880	36,903	Franklin	23	17	21,433	28,991
Boyd	14	11	26,891	10,875	Frontier	23	13	15,538	18,419
Brown	16	19	7,953	18,540	Furnas	25	25	16,663	23,394
Buffalo	76	85	89,535	166,500	Gage	72	65	54,794	97,284
Burt	35	36	20,079	38,524	Garden	13	11	3,821	5,293
Butler	30	24	20,715	42,875	Garfield	9	12	(D)	27,747
Cass	44	28	29,495	47,743	Gosper	5	4	2,703	(D)
Cedar	51	51	53,216	40,078	Grant	2	2	(D)	(D)
Chase	24	22	17,122	45,309	Greeley	20	18	13,012	10,726
Cherry	25	20	10,324	25,685	Hall	131	154	168,114	296,441
Cheyenne	40	33	27,341	40,575	Hamilton	26	28	28,077	70,309
Clay	41	41	37,461	79,003	Harlan	14	17	13,818	20,675
Colfax	35	37	33,949	229,776	Hayes	6	4	4,038	3,496
Cuming	42	38	35,590	75,415	Hitchcock	10	9	5,922	8,049
Custer	53	47	37,373	50,647	Holt	48	51	33,159	49,757
Dakota	24	29	47,642	149,764	Hooker	4	6	1,926	4,272
Dawes	26	27	23,188	31,395	Howard	22	17	15,539	27,395
Dawson	83	77	120,285	119,907	Jefferson	39	38	23,309	54,668

WHOLESALE TRADE BY COUNTY (CONT'D)
(Sales in Thousands of Dollars)

Nebraska					1972 and 1977				
County	Establishments		Sales		County	Establishments		Sales	
	1972	1977	1972	1977		1972	1977	1972	1977
Johnson	24	19	\$ 18,418	\$ 29,001	Polk	23	23	\$ 49,331	\$ 69,093
Kearney	22	21	20,992	34,006	Red Willow	46	48	66,062	96,735
Keith	33	31	36,731	66,101	Richardson	42	40	25,371	37,361
Keya Paha	1	1	(D)	(D)	Rock	7	9	(D)	47,520
Kimball	28	23	22,926	20,975	Saline	39	36	31,429	52,451
Knox	46	46	28,113	49,526	Sarpy	29	31	9,391	21,600
Lancaster	281	289	439,537	951,539	Saunders	47	39	34,637	56,615
Lincoln	75	84	65,368	88,888	Scotts Bluff	121	126	166,662	232,536
Logan	3	3	759	(D)	Seward	32	36	26,793	62,196
Loup	0	0	0	0	Sheridan	35	32	32,780	30,541
McPherson	1	0	(D)	0	Sherman	9	11	8,952	20,708
Madison	112	110	203,347	359,443	Sioux	3	1	259	(D)
Merrick	34	34	25,047	55,417	Stanton	8	8	4,649	(D)
Morrill	26	26	17,504	29,705	Thayer	44	38	33,293	68,048
Nance	14	17	12,110	20,767	Thomas	2	2	(D)	(D)
Nemaha	30	21	15,229	19,244	Thurston	21	19	9,123	17,446
Nuckolls	34	28	25,790	33,163	Valley	12	11	8,243	15,798
Otoe	57	47	32,433	47,998	Washington	31	28	17,840	22,443
Pawnee	18	14	6,829	12,964	Wayne	25	23	13,258	25,681
Perkins	22	21	20,372	40,406	Webster	24	22	24,112	44,577
Phelps	40	42	43,875	81,963	Wheeler	2	1	(D)	(D)
Pierce	28	19	10,322	19,398	York	60	54	51,547	94,873
Platte	71	77	43,177	132,818					

(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing figures for individual companies.

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, Census of Wholesale Trade, 1972, 1977.

NUMBER OF CORPORATIONS
(As of June 30)

Nebraska		Selected Years		
Year	Total	Domestic	Foreign	Non-Profit
1942	5,549	3,473	824	1,252
1950	7,228	4,165	1,165	1,898
1960	16,309	9,617	2,773	3,919
1966	18,479	11,283	2,401	4,795
1968	20,416	12,490	2,716	5,210
1970	22,710	15,532	3,592	5,812
1972	29,194	18,535	4,171	6,488
1974	32,798	21,232	4,647	6,919
1976	33,057	22,076	4,325	6,656
1978	30,352	20,801	3,451	6,100
1980	32,694	21,903	3,782	7,009

Source: Secretary of State, Biennial Report

BUSINESS FAILURES

Nebraska		Selected Years	
Year	Failures	Liabilities	
1940	132	\$	671,000
1945	1		2,000
1950	41		721,000
1955	20		2,366,000
1960	32		2,366,000
1965	56		3,111,000
1970	42		5,550,000
1971	65		5,582,000
1972	34		9,319,000
1973	64		6,900,000
1974	37		75,500,000
1975	64		120,100,000
1976	47		8,200,000
1977	46		12,400,000
1978	45		74,700,000
1979	70		16,800,000
1980	119		31,000,000

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census,
Statistical Abstract of the United
States, annual.

SECTION G

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The number of insured commercial banks in Nebraska increased by 6 percent, to a total of 464, between 1970 and 1980. Total assets of these banks increased 182 percent, to more than \$11.5 billion in 1980. Demand deposits of insured commercial banks grew by 63 percent, to nearly \$3.3 billion, while time deposits increased by 297 percent, to almost \$6.3 billion.

The number of building and loan associations decreased from 24 in 1970 to 11 in 1981. Over \$641 million in loans by building and loan associations in Nebraska were outstanding as of June 20, 1981, a 12 percent increase since 1970. Total assets of the Nebraska associations were just over \$729 million in 1981, up 9 percent from about \$669 million in 1970.

An important sector of the Nebraska economy is the insurance industry. In 1980, the 32 life insurance companies headquartered in Nebraska had \$57.5 billion of life insurance in force. The total amount of life insurance in force in the State increased by 136 percent, from \$10.9 billion in 1970 to \$25.7 billion in 1980.

Life insurance companies doing business in Nebraska received about \$298 million in premiums and paid out \$142 million in claims in 1980. Premiums of \$379 million were received by accident and health companies from Nebraska policyholders, while claims of \$312 million were paid.

Statistics in this section present information about the banking and insurance institutions doing business in the State. The chief sources of the data are the Nebraska Department of Banking, the State department of Insurance, the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, and the U.S. Bureau of the Census.

ASSETS AND DEPOSITS OF COMMERCIAL BANKS
(Millions of Dollars)

Nebraska			Selected Years		
Year(1)	Number of Banks	Total Assets	Deposits		
			Total	Demand	Time
1950	418	\$ 1,467	\$1,375	\$1,236	\$ 139
1960	426	1,869	1,678	1,445	234
1965	436	2,567	2,281	1,583	698
1968	435	3,440	3,093	1,842	1,251
1969	437	3,784	3,323	1,960	1,363
1970	437	4,083	3,606	2,024	1,582
1971	438	4,737	4,131	2,197	1,934
1972	440	5,369	4,657	2,375	2,282
1973	444	6,302	5,390	2,677	2,713
1974	448	6,791	5,767	2,681	3,086
1975	448	7,257	6,251	2,799	3,452
1976	450	7,702	6,718	2,751	3,968
1977	451	8,568	7,395	2,951	4,444
1978	452	9,550	8,193	3,225	4,967
1979	461	10,503	8,962	3,476	5,485
1980	464	11,509	9,583	3,296	6,286

(1) As of December 31.

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, Statistical Abstract of the United States, annual.

SELECTED SERVICES BY ESTABLISHMENTS AND RECEIPTS

Nebraska

1972 and 1977

Kind of Business	Establishments		Receipts (\$000)	
	1972	1977	1972	1977
Total Selected Services	13,319	14,801	\$571,200	\$976,295
Hotels, Motels, Trailering Parks and Camps	728	625	60,824	100,657
Personal Services	4,421	5,034	92,456	126,026
Business Services	1,976	2,506	114,775	233,303
Automotive Repair, Services and Garages	1,769	1,914	85,693	173,181
Miscellaneous Repair Services	1,700	1,780	42,074	75,491
Amusement and Recreation Services	1,314	1,393	72,685	79,215
Miscellaneous Professional Services	1,411	1,549	102,693	188,422

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, Census of Selected Service Industries, 1977.

SELECTED SERVICES BY COUNTY
(Receipts in Thousands of Dollars)

Nebraska					1972 and 1977				
County	Establishments		Receipts		County	Establishments		Receipts	
	1972	1977	1972	1977		1972	1977	1972	1977
Adams	295	338	\$ 9,264	\$14,247	Dixon	51	63	\$ 598	\$ 1,217
Antelope	82	72	1,304	1,686	Dodge	320	362	10,764	22,958
Arthur	2	7	(D)	67	Douglas	3,472	3,827	287,425	443,543
Banner	1	5	(D)	31	Dundy	33	33	528	839
Blaine	12	8	131	111	Fillmore	81	75	1,128	2,442
Boone	67	61	1,058	1,257	Franklin	57	45	698	1,146
Box Butte	94	114	2,023	4,210	Frontier	32	29	378	711
Boyd	34	38	395	430	Furnas	71	81	902	1,521
Brown	39	48	622	1,320	Gage	229	268	5,140	7,494
Buffalo	289	335	10,432	19,722	Garden	40	26	519	828
Burt	97	108	1,936	2,435	Garfield	32	21	607	753
Butler	81	75	987	1,219	Gosper	14	11	185	85
Cass	148	159	2,511	3,464	Grant	12	8	198	431
Cedar	97	93	1,675	2,684	Greeley	37	35	575	640
Chase	51	67	698	1,699	Hall	412	505	19,892	30,223
Cherry	56	76	1,534	2,424	Hamilton	77	82	1,866	4,261
Cheyenne	125	101	2,911	4,151	Harlan	57	48	925	1,778
Clay	79	66	1,332	1,843	Hayes	13	8	117	111
Colfax	90	103	1,965	2,416	Hitchcock	29	33	303	561
Cuming	90	104	2,053	4,095	Holt	115	136	2,198	4,478
Custer	150	145	3,210	5,887	Hooker	20	10	147	146
Dakota	118	124	5,261	8,958	Howard	46	45	908	1,126
Dawes	102	99	2,127	3,237	Jefferson	94	99	2,195	2,592
Dawson	213	238	4,683	11,801	Johnson	50	46	798	1,110
Deuel	35	32	638	979	Kearney	61	55	1,551	2,650

SELECTED SERVICES BY COUNTY (CONT'D)
(Receipts in Thousands of Dollars)

Nebraska					1972 and 1977				
County	Establishments		Receipts		County	Establishments		Receipts	
	1972	1977	1972	1977		1972	1977	1972	1977
Keith	106	120	\$ 4,362	\$ 6,845	Red Willow	129	128	\$ 3,134	\$ 7,196
Keya Paha	10	11	310	268	Richardson	111	110	2,619	3,160
Kimball	68	56	1,508	2,698	Rock	26	26	639	936
Knox	87	94	1,720	2,239	Saline	114	127	2,787	(D)
Lancaster	1,549	1,977	90,516	151,251	Sarpy	302	448	7,771	20,745
Lincoln	321	340	12,240	24,149	Saunders	140	142	3,602	6,080
Logan	5	12	23	77	Scotts Bluff	336	376	10,063	20,147
Loup	8	10	105	134	Seward	106	132	2,692	4,610
McPherson	2	5	(D)	18	Sheridan	85	84	1,426	2,015
Madison	262	317	10,306	19,384	Sherman	37	32	787	845
Merrick	64	85	1,204	2,762	Sioux	7	10	97	169
Morrill	52	45	632	906	Stanton	29	35	425	616
Nance	54	48	1,223	1,628	Thayer	69	81	1,255	2,135
Nemaha	73	78	1,553	1,814	Thomas	11	11	129	382
Nuckolls	70	69	1,200	1,383	Thurston	36	26	464	599
Otoe	145	143	3,321	4,514	Valley	59	56	1,005	1,808
Pawnee	39	50	446	1,079	Washington	94	107	2,031	7,528
Perkins	33	34	792	1,048	Wayne	79	76	1,996	2,375
Phelps	103	123	3,419	4,223	Webster	55	49	929	1,141
Pierce	67	70	776	1,339	Wheeler	8	3	43	(D)
Platte	266	282	10,467	20,204	York	141	151	3,917	6,801
Polk	59	55	1,481	1,264					

(D) Withheld to avoid disclosure of individual reporting units.

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, Census of Selected Service Industries, 1972, 1977.

LOANS AND INVESTMENTS OF NEBRASKA COMMERCIAL BANKS
(AS OF DECEMBER 31)
(In Thousands of Dollars)

Nebraska					1976-1980
Item	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980
LOANS & DISCOUNTS					
Total Loans	\$4,431,857	\$4,788,582	\$5,383,087	\$6,046,187	\$6,060,530
Real Estate	571,138	645,960	721,153	792,323	790,674
Commercial & Industrial	942,736	1,086,426	1,176,994	1,319,840	1,318,252
Agriculture	1,755,772	1,882,940	1,999,298	2,334,573	2,390,279
To Individuals	969,218	1,115,578	1,229,019	1,324,831	1,272,201
Other	192,993	202,366	256,623	274,620	289,124
SECURITIES HELD					
Total Securities	1,899,287	1,853,055	2,171,772	2,301,848	2,700,778
U.S. Government	996,852	942,098	1,167,306	1,203,540	1,525,071
Other Securities	902,435	910,957	1,004,466	1,098,308	1,175,707
TOTAL LOANS & INVESTMENTS	6,331,144	6,641,637	7,554,859	8,348,035	8,761,308

Source: Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, Bank Operating Statistics, annual.

NEBRASKA BUSINESS OF NEBRASKA ASSESSMENT COMPANIES
(Thousands of Dollars)

Nebraska		1960-1980	
Year	Number of Companies	Net Received From Members	Net Losses Paid
1960	44	\$ 1,528	\$ 538
1961	44	1,701	680
1962	43	1,453	835
1963	43	1,739	841
1964	42	1,763	1,539
1965	42	1,841	862
1966	41	2,138	824
1967	37	1,675	361
1968	36	1,593	404
1969	40	2,343	820
1970	40	2,491	1,427
1971	40	2,653	1,193
1972	40	2,927	1,155
1973	40	2,929	1,577
1974	40	3,082	1,446
1975	41	4,101	2,908
1976	41	4,500	2,303
1977	41	5,395	2,527
1978	40	6,103	2,655
1979	38	7,095	8,016
1980	40	7,096	4,895

Source: State Department of Insurance, Summary of Insurance Business in Nebraska, annual.

ASSETS OF BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATIONS
(Thousands of Dollars)

Nebraska		Selected Years			
Year(1)	Number of Associations	Total Assets	Loans	Bonds and Securities	Other Assets
1930	83	\$ 163,460	\$ 139,870	\$ 8,890	\$ 14,700
1940	51	58,065	41,227	2,484	14,354
1950	41	102,442	73,315	22,970	6,157
1960	37	311,862	238,811	53,941	19,110
1965	32	497,161	401,765	70,561	24,835
1970	24	668,866	570,602	73,532	24,732
1971	24	803,889	671,046	97,923	34,920
1972	22	590,363	499,928	62,738	27,697
1973	21	678,980	587,436	61,990	29,553
1974	21	749,480	643,134	62,572	43,774
1975	19	697,068	599,338	56,118	41,612
1976	17	539,160	459,511	56,122	23,528
1977	17	627,523	548,271	50,365	28,887
1978	16	697,167	607,443	52,117	37,607
1979	16	755,718	668,223	58,930	28,565
1980	13	797,798	698,145	70,635	29,017
1981	11	729,356	641,412	74,615	13,328

(1) As of June 30.

Source: Nebraska Department of Banking, Annual Report.

NEBRASKA BUSINESS OF ALL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANIES
(Thousands of Dollars)

Nebraska		1961-1980						
Year	Number of Companies	Premiums Received			Benefits Paid		Life Insurance	
		Life	Annuity	A & H	Life	A & H	Issued	In Force
1961	197	\$ 86,173	\$ 6,698	\$ 27,545	\$ 43,216	\$ 16,961	\$1,073,892	\$ 4,521,901
1962	215	91,170	7,660	35,609	42,742	22,071	1,041,821	4,959,386
1963	230	99,120	7,923	44,605	48,063	31,682	1,208,026	5,310,729
1964	258	107,364	8,650	49,716	51,468	31,649	1,557,975	5,593,862
1965	287	115,022	9,512	141,901	115,657	36,469	1,189,746	6,084,723
1966	303	120,849	10,391	62,291	59,165	40,066	1,217,036	6,679,182
1967	320	128,996	10,267	87,870	63,813	59,711	1,409,190	7,394,154
1968	332	150,305	23,978	90,237	64,172	51,797	1,553,992	8,385,386
1969	323	144,882	32,560	113,713	70,089	82,917	2,294,852	10,112,029
1970	328	154,533	16,858	131,820	68,938	98,141	1,797,922	10,882,658
1971	359	165,184	26,536	146,429	71,943	114,934	1,807,995	11,679,249
1972	375	169,565	21,626	166,803	82,361	126,499	2,697,493	11,942,197
1973	396	187,451	25,779	186,210	83,277	130,631	2,526,733	12,652,792
1974	405	212,253	30,385	194,109	86,508	141,532	3,972,008	13,212,058
1975	387	189,766	39,435	139,083	93,260	96,556	2,569,083	15,504,517
1976	455	254,249	49,268	243,723	116,389	187,415	3,329,261	19,431,725
1977	466	378,661	48,035	290,080	101,433	223,515	3,453,311	23,136,139
1978	481	258,544	43,906	309,645	107,150	116,899	4,432,859	20,904,435
1979	501	282,899	55,050	343,924	116,454	258,643	5,986,519	25,021,443
1980	525	298,298	69,453	379,405	141,544	312,205	5,515,886	25,692,940

Note: A & H means Accident & Health.

Source: State Department of Insurance, Summary of Insurance Business in Nebraska, annual.

BUSINESS OF NEBRASKA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANIES
(Thousands of Dollars)

Nebraska		1960-1980		
Year	Number of Companies	Life Insurance		
		Nebraska Business		In Force
		Entire Business In Force	Issued	
1960	20	\$ 5,198,146	\$549,145	\$ 820,842
1961	23	6,107,426	430,749	865,472
1962	26	6,712,046	450,166	1,053,943
1963	28	7,283,365	533,589	1,162,232
1964	31	8,310,783	825,520	1,242,571
1965	37	10,078,888	339,317	1,340,762
1966	37	11,430,173	352,403	1,502,816
1967	39	12,753,877	452,819	1,759,484
1968	40	13,937,548	513,619	1,896,906
1969	37	14,811,245	309,193	2,087,148
1970	38	16,965,105	395,457	2,190,521
1971	41	17,858,463	406,682	2,423,043
1972	36	15,252,336	871,108	2,617,447
1973	34	21,640,757	418,810	2,667,853
1974	34	26,538,118	871,087	3,225,619
1975	28	27,700,628	424,319	3,663,139
1976	32	32,460,730	694,833	4,104,564
1977	32	36,830,284	552,010	4,430,005
1978	31	40,712,271	870,368	4,827,926
1979	32	45,106,212	1,808,736	4,661,634
1980	32	57,505,304	1,184,996	5,452,165

Source: State Department of Insurance, Summary of Insurance Business in Nebraska, annual.

NEBRASKA BUSINESS OF ALL PROPERTY AND LIABILITY COMPANIES
(Thousands of Dollars)

Nebraska				1960-1980		
Year	Nebraska Companies			All Companies		
	Number of Companies	Premiums Earned	Losses Incurred	Number of Companies	Premiums Earned	Losses Incurred
1960	43	\$35,741	\$22,550	447	\$128,540	\$ 71,187
1961	45	40,772	24,356	453	140,828	68,938
1962	43	35,799	28,519	451	140,135	89,259
1963	42	38,051	25,878	451	143,710	80,049
1964	41	42,275	32,959	441	151,137	103,723
1965	35	39,877	28,524	440	154,174	89,763
1966	35	45,861	26,584	427	169,505	87,039
1967	36	32,538	15,281	423	173,373	83,077
1968	32	33,089	16,469	417	176,771	99,894
1969	31	37,912	16,445	412	196,997	97,481
1970	34	42,966	20,079	415	222,954	111,471
1971	31	48,625	18,957	424	254,708	112,610
1972	32	57,457	22,226	437	291,523	119,744
1973	32	62,650	25,504	433	299,831	128,243
1974	32	69,398	31,105	413	342,341	171,910
1975	33	73,970	44,413	429	357,192	259,241
1976	34	91,137	48,220	429	427,984	228,444
1977	36	115,159	63,211	477	495,495	246,877
1978	36	132,903	88,767	486	554,527	345,885
1979	36	151,242	88,395	502	612,402	352,676
1980	36	158,250	139,466	532	660,669	555,179

Source: State Department of Insurance, Summary of Insurance Business in Nebraska, annual.

BUSINESS OF NEBRASKA PROPERTY AND LIABILITY INSURANCE COMPANIES
(Thousands of Dollars)

Nebraska		1960-1980			
Year	Number of Companies	Premiums Earned		Losses Incurred	
		Entire Business	Nebraska Business	Entire Business	Nebraska Business
1960	43	\$321,075	\$35,741	\$191,425	\$22,550
1961	45	345,553	40,772	211,128	24,356
1962	43	88,324	35,799	55,418	28,519
1963	42	96,344	38,051	52,475	25,878
1964	41	111,951	42,275	64,193	32,959
1965	35	120,441	39,877	64,949	28,524
1966	35	136,859	45,861	69,595	26,584
1967	36	128,805	32,538	60,678	15,281
1968	32	123,153	33,089	64,625	16,469
1969	31	138,183	37,912	66,691	16,445
1970	34	168,189	42,966	80,053	20,079
1971	31	199,953	48,625	80,170	18,957
1972	32	194,178	57,457	89,790	22,226
1973	32	197,755	62,650	95,043	25,504
1974	32	199,647	69,398	82,565	31,105
1975	33	281,710	73,970	179,736	44,413
1976	34	367,965	91,137	189,477	48,220
1977	36	523,937	115,159	241,199	63,211
1978	36	594,020	132,903	308,921	88,767
1979	36	639,594	151,242	341,047	88,395
1980	36	645,291	158,250	432,235	139,466

Source: State Department of Insurance, Summary of Insurance Business in Nebraska, annual.

BUSINESS OF FRATERNAL BENEFICIARY SOCIETIES
(Thousands of Dollars)

Nebraska		1960-1980					
		Nebraska Companies			All Companies		
		Life Insurance			Life Insurance		
		Nebraska Business		Entire Business	Nebraska Business		
Year	Number	Issued	In Force	In Force	Number	Issued	In Force
1960	3	\$2,142	\$23,099	\$ 796,836	42	\$30,434	\$ 303,012
1961	3	2,336	23,321	826,392	42	32,961	277,429
1962	3	2,086	23,651	859,172	42	33,300	294,643
1963	3	1,659	23,768	899,591	42	33,649	314,061
1964	2	1,841	21,164	893,847	42	38,120	341,314
1965	2	3,703	26,128	1,118,133	42	41,296	370,921
1966	3	4,009	28,036	1,254,758	44	43,433	393,064
1967	2	2,562	28,630	1,368,899	43	51,019	424,819
1968	2	3,145	30,496	1,504,878	43	53,680	510,846
1969	2	3,413	30,485	1,650,397	43	50,030	483,079
1970	2	5,198	32,122	1,791,917	42	62,532	513,655
1971	2	4,585	34,429	1,975,671	42	59,497	554,007
1972	2	5,930	37,039	2,203,594	43	66,309	599,119
1973	2	5,195	40,899	2,460,390	43	79,547	657,338
1974	2	5,764	42,096	2,732,140	43	79,711	684,637
1975	2	6,049	45,453	3,025,493	43	66,652	588,290
1976	2	6,647	49,067	3,441,100	42	91,819	803,704
1977	2	31,249	75,158	3,929,822	41	104,780	882,625
1978	2	5,822	52,213	4,544,366	40	120,633	965,903
1979	2	11,176	59,689	5,224,249	38	132,422	1,109,273
1980	2	12,770	67,762	6,020,110	41	153,580	1,220,629

Source: Nebraska Department of Insurance, Summary of Insurance Business in Nebraska, annual.

SECTION H

TRANSPORTATION
AND COMMUNICATIONS

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There are over 96,000 miles of State and local highways in Nebraska. In 1980, more than 98 percent of the State-maintained highways were paved, compared to 71 percent in 1960. This includes Nebraska's Interstate Highway 80, a 455.3 mile highway, which stretches the length of the State and represents the largest single public investment project ever undertaken in Nebraska.

Nebraska motor vehicle registrations reached 1,390,251 in 1981, a 69 percent increase over 1960. Included in the 1981 total were 796,130 automobiles, 354,192 trucks, 50,371 motorcycles and 189,558 vehicles falling in other classifications. Although the total number of motor vehicle registrations continues at a high level, the total number of accidents peaked at 50,802 in 1978 and dropped to 42,449 in 1981. Fatal accidents and deaths stood at 321 and 378, respectively, in 1981, while injuries numbered 20,275—the lowest total since 1974. The auto accident death rate for 1981 was 3.3 per 100 million vehicle miles traveled.

Nine railroad companies provide service in Nebraska, operating over approximately 4,800 miles of main track. Seven of these carriers are designated as Class I railroads, receiving more than \$50 million in gross operating revenues annually. Between 1960 and 1979, railroad tons carried increased from 51.6 million to 148.1 million—a gain of over 187 percent.

Seventeen daily newspapers as well as 47 weekly, biweekly, and triweekly papers serve the State. Television coverage is provided by 14 commercial stations and a network of 8 educational television stations. In addition, cable television is available in several parts of Nebraska. Radio stations serving the Nebraska population include 49 AM and 37 FM commercial stations and 12 FM noncommercial stations.

Presented in this section are statistics dealing with the transportation and communications facilities in the State. Sources for data are the Nebraska Department of Motor Vehicles, the Nebraska Department of Roads, the Nebraska Department of Aeronautics, Nebraska Public Service Commission, N.W. Ayer and Son, Inc., Broadcasting Publications, Inc., the U.S. Bureau of the Census, and the U.S. Department of Transportation.

MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATIONS

Nebraska		Selected Years				
Year	Automobiles	Trucks		Motor-cycles	All Other(1)	Total
		Farm	Other			
1915	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	59,140
1920(2)	205,000	NA	16,000	1,700	2,600	225,300
1925	301,716	NA	37,003	1,207	3,444	407,013
1930	367,410	NA	58,592	900	14,676	530,891
1935	347,311	24,824	35,423	998	23,220	511,291
1940	347,515	28,502	39,514	1,328	49,722	551,939
1945	330,614	36,880	39,393	2,271	48,341	485,839
1950	441,632	65,474	59,973	4,871	66,682	767,975
1955	503,362	83,231	67,578	4,217	70,859	733,448
1960	553,508	96,673	77,572	5,412	84,910	821,367
1965	633,518	110,182	97,942	12,974	93,695	948,311
1970	679,728	113,127	125,174	31,522	141,599	1,091,150
1975	786,655	131,765	183,675	48,198	196,256	1,346,549
1976	810,931	132,126	184,937	49,556	209,832	1,387,382
1977	834,953	136,079	198,617	50,362	220,252	1,440,263
1978	840,579	139,258	201,965	49,871	222,713	1,454,386
1979	765,533	126,176	184,215	44,218	184,977	1,305,119
1980	830,360	147,062	216,679	52,142	240,845	1,487,088
1981	796,130	151,998	202,194	50,371	189,558	1,390,251

(1) Includes Taxis; Buses; Semi, Pole, and Farm Trailers; Cabin Permits; Campers; Mobile Homes; Dealers; 30-Day permits.

(2) Approximate

NA Not Available

Source: Nebraska Department of Motor Vehicles, Annual Motor Vehicle Report.

AUTOMOBILE AND TRUCK REGISTRATIONS BY COUNTY

Nebraska				1981			
County	Auto- mobiles	Trucks	Total	County	Auto- mobiles	Trucks	Total
Adams	16,037	7,127	23,164	Dawson	11,316	7,505	18,821
Antelope	4,521	4,270	8,791	Deuel	1,460	1,281	2,741
Arthur	1,111	315	1,426	Dixon	3,374	2,021	5,395
Banner	1,035	935	1,970	Dodge	18,766	7,198	25,964
Blaine	396	440	836	Douglas	201,095	39,922	241,017
Boone	3,994	2,748	6,742	Dundy	1,462	1,592	3,054
Box Butte	7,146	3,655	10,801	Fillmore	4,328	3,388	7,716
Boyd	1,648	1,066	2,714	Franklin	2,443	2,160	4,603
Brown	2,001	1,415	3,416	Frontier	1,956	1,979	3,935
Buffalo	15,796	8,316	24,112	Furnas	3,430	2,726	6,156
Burt	4,629	2,774	7,403	Gage	12,348	5,686	18,034
Butler	5,184	3,572	8,756	Garden	1,033	1,435	2,468
Cass	9,987	5,391	15,378	Garfield	1,596	974	2,570
Cedar	5,315	3,052	8,367	Gosper	1,504	1,318	2,822
Chase	1,483	2,077	3,560	Grant	908	481	1,389
Cherry	3,225	2,724	5,949	Greeley	1,984	1,332	3,316
Cheyenne	5,607	3,287	8,894	Hall	23,622	10,861	34,483
Clay	4,155	3,408	7,563	Hamilton	5,126	3,688	8,814
Colfax	5,356	2,509	7,865	Harlan	2,809	2,030	4,839
Cuming	6,080	3,250	9,330	Hayes	736	1,011	6,586
Custer	6,123	5,655	11,778	Hitchcock	2,108	1,967	4,075
Dakota	8,154	3,633	11,787	Holt	6,696	3,155	9,851
Dawes	4,335	2,611	6,946	Hooker	861	390	1,251

AUTOMOBILE AND TRUCK REGISTRATIONS BY COUNTY (CONT'D)

Nebraska				1981			
County	Auto- mobiles	Trucks	Total	County	Auto- mobiles	Trucks	Total
Howard	3,542	2,576	6,118	Platte	16,486	6,456	22,942
Jefferson	5,499	3,268	8,767	Polk	4,275	2,699	6,974
Johnson	2,819	1,877	4,696	Red Willow	7,053	4,157	11,210
Kearney	4,236	3,110	7,346	Richardson	5,932	3,459	9,391
Keith	5,236	3,253	8,489	Rock	1,965	1,241	3,206
Keya Paha	1,291	704	1,995	Saline	6,862	4,202	11,064
Kimball	3,277	2,216	5,493	Sarpy	33,115	15,273	48,388
Knox	5,548	3,382	8,930	Saunders	10,033	5,755	15,788
Lancaster	97,049	22,979	120,028	Scotts Bluff	20,727	10,933	31,660
Lincoln	18,551	9,494	28,045	Seward	7,444	4,288	11,732
Logan	482	513	995	Sheridan	3,795	3,038	6,833
Loup	463	428	891	Sherman	1,935	1,491	3,426
Madison	14,681	6,974	21,655	Sioux	916	1,322	2,238
McPherson	368	392	760	Stanton	3,323	1,900	5,223
Merrick	4,678	3,213	7,891	Thayer	4,316	3,248	7,564
Morrill	3,070	2,896	5,966	Thomas	465	538	1,003
Nance	2,406	1,748	4,154	Thurston	2,955	1,640	4,595
Nemaha	4,096	2,520	6,616	Valley	2,869	2,106	4,975
Nuckolls	3,790	2,709	6,499	Washington	8,173	4,072	12,245
Otoe	7,618	4,611	12,229	Wayne	4,510	2,390	6,900
Pawnee	2,221	1,576	3,797	Webster	2,577	2,008	4,585
Perkins	2,183	2,194	4,377	Wheeler	870	585	1,455
Phelps	5,845	4,045	9,890	York	7,862	4,515	12,377
Pierce	4,394	2,442	6,836	NEBRASKA	796,130	354,748	1,150,878

Source: Nebraska Department of Motor Vehicles, 1981 Annual Motor Vehicle Report.

ACCIDENTS AND MILEAGE RATES

Nebraska/United States	Selected Years					
	1965	1970	1975	1978	1979	1980
Traffic Deaths						
Nebraska	384	435	385	350	330	396
United States(Thousands)	49.2	54.8	46.0	51.9	52.8	53.3
Traffic Injuries						
Nebraska	15,043	19,394	20,697	23,861	22,475	21,281
United States(Thousands)	3,982.0	4,983.0	4,978.0	5,798.0	5,681.0	5,230.0
Rate per 100 Million Miles						
Deaths						
Nebraska	4.8	4.3	3.4	2.8	2.9	3.5
United States	5.5	4.7	3.4	3.3	3.3	3.4
Injuries						
Nebraska	189.2	202.0	184.6	191.2	194.9	189.6
United States	448.5	444.6	374.2	NA	NA	NA

NA - Not Available

Source: Nebraska Department of Roads, Accident Record Bureau, Standard Summary of Motor Vehicle Traffic Accidents, annual; U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, Statistical Abstract of the United States, annual.

CONTRIBUTING CIRCUMSTANCES TO TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS

Nebraska	1981		
	All	Fatal	Injury
Cause	Accidents	Accidents	Accidents
Total Accidents	56,795	569	19,456
Percent of Total			
All Accidents	100.0	100.0	100.0
Speeding	11.0	18.6	13.0
Failed to Yield	12.2	8.3	11.7
Drove Left of Center	3.1	9.7	3.5
Stop Sign-Signal Violation	3.7	5.4	4.8
Following Too Close	5.6	0.9	6.5
Other Improper Driving	53.4	33.2	46.4
Mechanical Defects	3.1	2.1	2.9
Driver-Impaired Condition	6.7	21.6	9.7
Road Construction/Maintenance	1.2	0.2	1.4

Source: Calculated from data from Nebraska Department of Roads, Accident Record Bureau, Standard Summary of Motor Vehicle Traffic Accidents, 1981.

MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS

Nebraska					Selected Years	
Year	Total Accidents	Fatal Accidents	Deaths	Injuries	Miles Traveled (Millions)	Deaths Per 100 Million Vehicle Miles
1950	21,884	262	306	7,224	4,878	6.3
1955	24,536	267	318	8,765	5,925	5.3
1960	32,381	243	292	11,392	6,765	4.2
1965	28,972	313	386	15,041	7,949	4.9
1966	31,756	355	424	15,700	8,425	5.0
1967	36,116	365	445	17,399	8,707	5.1
1968	40,449	371	451	18,478	8,953	5.0
1969	46,731	359	422	19,699	9,200	4.6
1970	45,278	334	411	19,394	9,600	4.3
1971	45,462	391	490	21,057	9,903	4.6
1972	49,412	405	485	22,853	10,798	4.5
1973	47,711	373	433	22,467	11,153	3.9
1974	33,913	328	388	19,572	10,940	3.5
1975	38,975	322	375	20,693	11,211	3.3
1976	40,182	335	402	21,721	11,843	3.4
1977	44,407	293	350	23,203	12,100	2.9
1978	50,802	299	350	23,861	12,486	2.8
1979	48,825	277	330	22,475	11,529	2.9
1980	44,685	337	396	21,281	11,222	3.5
1981	42,449	321	378	20,275	11,512	3.3

Source: Nebraska Department of Roads, Biennial Reports and Standard Summary of Motor Vehicle Traffic Accidents, annual.

TYPES OF MOTOR VEHICLE TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS

Nebraska				Selected Years					
Type of Accident	All Accidents			Fatalities			Persons Injured		
	1970	1980	1981	1970	1980	1981	1970	1980	1981
Collision Involving:									
Pedestrian	690	653	573	39	27	36	673	677	589
Motor Vehicle in Traffic	29,343	27,225	25,915	195	193	181	12,453	13,678	13,027
Parked Motor Vehicle	4,797	4,884	4,484	2	1	2	615	629	539
Train	159	168	128	11	21	26	86	85	66
Bicyclist	281	418	378	8	4	4	283	426	389
Animal	1,487	1,695	1,885	4	0	2	160	141	165
Fixed Object	2,666	6,584	5,881	43	93	77	1,295	3,431	3,133
Other Object	136	254	280	0	0	3	41	109	113
Noncollision, Overturned	5,381	2,230	2,371	105	56	41	3,624	1,824	1,964
Other Noncollision	338	574	554	4	1	6	164	281	290
Total Accidents	45,278	44,685	42,449	411	396	378	19,394	21,281	20,275

Source: Nebraska Department of Roads, Accident Record Bureau, Standard Summary of Motor Vehicle Traffic Accidents, annual.

AGE DISTRIBUTION OF DRIVERS INVOLVED IN ACCIDENTS

Nebraska									
Age Group	All Accidents			Fatal Accidents			Selected Years Injury Accidents		
	1970	1980	1981	1970	1980	1981	1970	1980	1981
Total	75,908	63,478	79,947	498	477	434	21,326	23,338	24,799
Percent of Total									
All Ages	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
15 and Under	0.6	0.9	0.9	1.0	0.6	0.4	0.7	1.0	1.0
16-24	39.4	41.1	40.0	36.9	37.1	35.6	41.5	41.7	40.9
25-34	17.4	22.2	23.1	18.3	23.0	24.3	17.8	23.4	24.4
35-44	13.0	11.4	11.4	11.4	10.2	11.7	13.0	11.8	11.6
45-54	10.6	8.5	8.5	12.6	10.2	9.2	10.8	8.4	8.5
55-64	8.1	6.6	6.9	9.2	8.0	9.2	8.2	6.4	6.6
65 and Over	6.1	6.7	7.1	8.6	9.8	8.2	5.7	6.0	6.0
Not Stated	4.7	2.6	2.1	1.8	1.2	1.5	2.2	1.2	1.1

Source: Nebraska Department of Roads, Accident Record Bureau, Standard Summary of Motor Vehicle Traffic Accidents, annual.

MILES OF CONSTRUCTION ON STATE HIGHWAYS

Nebraska					Selected Years				
Year	Rural				Municipal				Grand Total
	Gravel	Inter-mediate	High Type	Total	Gravel	Inter-mediate	High Type	Total	
1950	288	180	71	539	3	6	16	25	564
1955	111	346	143	600	1	9	16	26	626
1960	33	360	125	518	0	4	5	9	527
1965	86	169	125	380	1	4	10	15	395
1966	69	276	164	509	0	3	12	15	524
1967	25	106	129	260	0	1	8	9	269
1968	34	114	97	245	0	2	11	13	258
1969	17	192	122	331	0	4	6	10	341
1970	21	699	274	994	0	19	25	44	1,038
1971	17	333	399	749	0	7	18	25	774
1972	0	169	506	675	0	2	10	12	687
1973	0	163	454	617	0	3	13	16	633
1974	0	133	399	532	0	2	20	22	554
1975	0	112	306	418	0	2	25	27	445
1976	1	10	292	303	0	0	11	11	314
1977	0	19	586	605	0	17	8	25	630
1978	0	90	250	340	0	4	6	10	350
1979	0	84	232	316	0	3	9	12	328
1980	9	113	122	244	0	2	12	14	258

Source: Nebraska Department of Roads, Nebraska Highway Statistics: State and Local Road and Street Data, annual.

MUNICIPAL AND RURAL HIGHWAY MILEAGE BY COUNTY

Nebraska		1980						
County	Total Municipal & Rural	Municipal	Rural				Governmental Control	
			Total	Surfaced	Gravel	Unsurfaced	State & Federal	Local
Adams	1,227	147	1,080	219	800	62	87	1,139
Antelope	1,587	52	1,535	267	738	530	112	1,475
Arthur	305	4	301	104	194	3	42	263
Banner	574	0	574	50	465	59	42	531
Blaine	246	4	242	76	159	7	55	190
Boone	1,130	46	1,084	148	738	198	122	1,002
Box Butte	1,167	52	1,115	144	703	268	112	1,055
Boyd	681	32	649	100	451	98	77	605
Brown	702	29	673	101	300	272	74	628
Buffalo	1,777	173	1,604	252	1,241	111	185	1,593
Burt	879	54	825	140	602	83	82	797
Butler	1,188	70	1,118	120	896	102	115	1,072
Cass	1,112	102	1,010	192	762	56	159	952
Cedar	1,380	53	1,327	179	968	180	171	1,210
Chase	815	29	786	102	645	39	71	744
Cherry	2,079	43	2,036	622	387	1,027	293	1,787
Cheyenne	1,506	74	1,432	226	1,147	59	130	1,376
Clay	1,107	83	1,024	183	702	139	109	998
Colfax	818	59	759	71	645	43	63	755
Cuming	1,121	51	1,070	155	862	53	106	1,014
Custer	2,533	98	2,435	536	1,427	472	270	2,263
Dakota	495	85	410	73	291	46	67	428
Dawes	1,009	48	961	147	589	225	127	881
Dawson	1,569	120	1,449	280	1,077	92	179	1,389
Deuel	664	18	645	122	441	82	98	566

RAILROADS, ABBREVIATIONS AND TRACK MILEAGE

Nebraska		1980	
Name of Company	Abbreviation	Line Mileage	Total Mileage
Burlington Northern	B.N.	2,619	3,500
Chicago and North Western	C. & N.W.	642	813
Chicago Rock Island and Pacific	C.R.I. & P.	150	196
Missouri Pacific Railroad	M.P.	323	447
Union Pacific Railroad	U.P.	1,303	2,427
TOTAL		5,037	7,383

Source: Nebraska Public Service Commission, 1979-80 Annual Report.

FREIGHT ORIGINATING OR TERMINATING IN NEBRASKA
BY SELECTED COMMODITY GROUPS

Nebraska		1979			
Commodity Group	Originating		Terminating		
	Car Loads	Tons	Car Loads	Tons	
Farm Products	182,284	14,642,019	30,189	1,521,541	
Nonmetallic Minerals, exc. Fuels	22,483	1,433,471	25,071	1,607,133	
Food and Kindred Products	53,345	2,710,298	20,396	992,881	
Lumber and Wood Prod., exc. Furn.	477	14,355	5,996	277,401	
Pulp, Paper and Allied Prod.	216	5,745	7,938	335,556	
Chemicals and Allied Prod.	8,318	617,819	15,175	1,238,075	
Petroleum and Coal Prod.	915	40,229	3,637	235,085	
Stone, Clay and Glass Prod.	4,657	312,918	6,564	437,047	
Primary Metal Prod.	2,201	143,215	8,425	551,814	
Fabr. Metal Prod., nec.	1,347	36,262	1,541	45,305	
Machinery, exc. elec.	2,625	43,334	1,182	21,001	
Elec. Mach., Equip. and Supl.	137	3,353	962	14,435	
Transportation Equip.	1,269	24,150	3,814	87,409	
Waste and Scrap Materials	6,062	287,793	5,636	327,169	
Coal	22	2,050	47,977	4,571,670	
Total Carload Traffic	295,587	20,497,641	197,863	12,489,918	

Source: Nebraska Public Service Commission, 1979-1980 Annual Report.

MUNICIPAL AND RURAL HIGHWAY MILEAGE BY COUNTY (CONT'D)

Nebraska		1980						
County	Total		Rural				Governmental Control	
	Municipal & Rural	Municipal	Total	Surfaced	Gravel	Unsurfaced	State & Federal	Local
Dixon	845	39	806	94	548	164	87	757
Dodge	1,192	165	1,027	142	874	11	104	1,089
Douglas	2,186	1,432	754	575	173	6	196	1,989
Dundy	758	17	741	73	285	383	66	693
Fillmore	1,246	69	1,177	97	859	221	100	1,146
Franklin	943	45	898	86	636	176	86	856
Frontier	1,034	23	1,011	79	646	286	96	939
Furnas	1,216	67	1,149	115	531	503	118	1,098
Gage	1,821	165	1,656	296	1,209	151	155	1,666
Garden	835	16	819	154	452	213	54	781
Garfield	361	10	351	81	193	77	53	308
Gosper	677	10	667	57	438	172	55	622
Grant	238	4	234	148	58	28	59	180
Greeley	661	25	636	74	401	161	74	588
Hall	1,249	213	1,036	266	724	46	133	1,116
Hamilton	1,122	51	1,071	136	914	21	100	1,022
Harlan	954	44	910	114	572	224	105	849
Hayes	658	9	649	47	302	300	45	612
Hitchcock	843	29	814	103	505	206	92	751
Holt	2,693	79	2,614	400	1,388	826	203	2,488
Hooker	190	8	182	85	89	8	53	135
Howard	940	42	898	98	629	171	98	841
Jefferson	1,117	65	1,052	147	765	140	115	1,002
Johnson	72	35	685	63	473	149	65	655
Kearney	1,000	42	958	135	725	98	86	914

MUNICIPAL AND RURAL HIGHWAY MILEAGE BY COUNTY (CONT'D)

Nebraska		1980						
County	Total Municipal & Rural	Municipal	Total	Rural			Governmental Control	
				Surfaced	Gravel	Unsurfaced	State & Federal	Local
Keith	1,045	54	991	194	681	116	158	887
Keya Paha	663	4	659	95	260	304	98	565
Kimball	969	33	936	119	709	108	105	864
Knox	1,678	66	1,612	251	1,095	266	167	1,511
Lancaster	2,369	791	1,578	332	1,088	158	191	2,179
Lincoln	2,085	157	1,928	495	1,210	223	258	1,827
Logan	291	7	283	51	179	53	52	239
Loup	283	5	278	54	197	27	55	228
McPherson	320	0	320	122	196	2	61	259
Madison	1,216	139	1,077	200	784	93	112	1,104
Merrick	975	51	924	176	709	39	94	881
Morrill	1,015	29	986	203	585	198	136	880
Nance	680	33	647	67	498	82	68	612
Nemaha	823	57	766	85	500	181	97	726
Nuckolls	1,107	55	1,052	103	691	258	92	1,015
Otoe	1,245	95	1,150	119	828	203	132	1,113
Pawnee	803	38	765	88	468	209	104	698
Perkins	1,145	25	1,120	74	998	48	66	1,079
Phelps	1,066	65	1,001	125	704	172	58	1,008
Pierce	1,154	42	1,112	134	852	126	98	1,056
Platte	1,411	120	1,291	239	941	111	101	1,310
Polk	832	36	796	84	689	23	72	760
Red Willow	962	74	888	119	629	140	78	884
Richardson	1,041	85	956	117	685	154	114	927
Rock	691	11	680	93	323	264	82	608

MUNICIPAL AND RURAL HIGHWAY MILEAGE BY COUNTY (CONT'D)

Nebraska		1980						
County	Total Municipal & Rural	Municipal	Rural				Governmental Control	
			Total	Surfaced	Gravel	Unsurfaced	State & Federal	Local
Saline	1,223	94	1,129	118	842	169	122	1,102
Sarpy	728	145	583	276	304	3	87	640
Saunders	1,551	99	1,452	182	1,153	117	141	1,411
Scotts Bluff	1,192	153	1,039	252	769	18	134	1,059
Seward	1,210	77	1,133	143	831	159	126	1,084
Sheridan	1,629	36	1,593	348	680	565	209	1,420
Sherman	833	36	797	109	475	213	98	734
Sioux	890	5	885	154	635	96	136	754
Stanton	790	24	766	111	491	164	91	698
Thayer	1,177	68	1,109	130	782	197	124	1,054
Thomas	262	10	252	121	114	17	61	202
Thurston	737	28	709	96	482	131	76	660
Valley	756	41	715	125	478	112	80	676
Washington	726	66	660	115	520	25	74	651
Wayne	912	33	879	78	618	183	78	835
Webster	1,025	39	986	96	620	270	98	927
Wheeler	398	8	390	51	233	106	50	347
York	1,236	80	1,156	152	935	69	102	1,134
Totals	96,301	7,339	88,962	14,668	59,077	15,217	9,880	86,421

NOTE: Totals may not equal sum of parts because of rounding.

Source: Nebraska Department of Roads, Planning Division, Nebraska Highway Statistics, State and Local Road and Street Data for 1980.

STATE HIGHWAY MILEAGE, BY SURFACE TYPE

Nebraska										
										Selected Years
Year	Rural					Municipal				Grand Total
	Earth	Gravel	Non-Rigid Bitumen, Asphalt	Rigid Asphalt Concrete, Brick	Total	Gravel	Non-Rigid Bitumen, Asphalt	Rigid Asphalt Concrete, Brick	Total	
1950	130	4,969	2,678	1,396	9,173	93	87	225	405	9,578
1955	92	4,674	3,247	1,660	9,673	70	109	241	420	10,093
1960	64	2,606	4,444	1,776	8,890	28	125	239	392	9,282
1965	34	1,321	5,535	2,175	9,065	7	137	277	421	9,486
1966	34	1,070	5,744	2,289	9,137	5	140	289	434	9,571
1967	34	994	5,760	2,360	9,148	4	139	301	444	9,592
1968	34	921	5,837	2,412	9,204	4	137	312	453	9,657
1969	34	883	5,854	2,495	9,266	3	139	326	468	9,734
1970	34	779	5,920	2,511	9,244	3	143	335	481	9,725
1971	34	719	5,673	2,875	9,301	2	141	340	483	9,785
1972	28	629	5,400	3,250	9,307	2	137	349	488	9,795
1973	28	505	5,161	3,602	9,296	2	133	373	508	9,804
1974	28	443	4,954	3,916	9,341	1	128	391	520	9,861
1975	28	398	4,796	4,116	9,338	1	122	405	528	9,866
1976	16	361	4,597	4,361	9,335	1	118	412	531	9,866
1977	16	302	4,300	4,700	9,318	1	114	425	540	9,858
1978	9	265	4,168	4,871	9,313	1	109	434	544	9,857
1979	9	245	4,058	5,010	9,322	1	108	444	553	9,875
1980	0	201	4,020	5,104	9,325	0	105	450	555	9,880

Source: Nebraska Department of Roads, Highway Statistics: State and Local Road and Street Data for 1980.

RAILROAD FREIGHT TRAFFIC BY TONS CARRIED, TON MILES, AND EARNINGS
(Units in Thousands)

Nebraska	Selected Years				
	1960	1965	1970	1975	1979
Originating and terminating in state					
Tons carried	8,430	7,057	6,999	5,764	3,935
Ton miles	725,491	635,272	603,132	759,800	427,216
Earnings	\$17,821	\$13,739	\$16,505	\$25,269	\$25,312
Originating but not terminating in state					
Tons carried	6,650	8,941	11,407	11,297	15,943
Ton miles	1,029,650	1,369,561	1,748,626	1,965,089	3,166,942
Earnings	\$15,784	\$18,174	\$26,830	\$42,202	\$78,494
Terminating but not originating in state					
Tons carried	5,760	6,436	7,951	9,429	18,290
Ton miles	922,345	956,495	1,143,332	1,498,819	4,667,613
Earnings	\$15,053	\$14,281	\$19,608	\$31,949	\$86,362
Passing through state					
Tons carried	27,832	34,928	45,460	68,187	107,969
Ton miles	9,925,063	11,931,754	15,012,046	22,774,011	40,431,647
Earnings	\$122,644	\$136,775	\$188,417	\$339,765	\$646,514
Total Nebraska business					
Tons carried	51,588	60,340	74,770	97,102	148,137
Ton miles	12,906,597	15,184,082	18,782,443	27,222,800	48,693,418
Earnings	\$174,665	\$186,095	\$255,009	\$443,777	\$836,682

Note: Totals are incomplete because one carrier did not disaggregate interstate traffic.

Source: Nebraska Public Service Commission, Annual Reports.

RAILROAD FREIGHT TRAFFIC BY TONS CARRIED AND EARNINGS

Year	Nebraska				Selected Years	
	Originating And Terminating In State	Originating But not Terminating In State	Terminating But not Originating In State	Passing Through State	Total Freight Earnings In State	
	(Thousand Tons Carried)					(\$1,000)
1930	6,451	6,045	10,240	13,570		\$ 78,173
1935	2,844	2,643	7,326	12,013		46,132
1940	2,905	2,780	7,043	14,047		57,885
1945	5,340	9,303	11,855	29,659		152,884
1950	5,133	6,669	9,293	27,425		161,590
1955	6,896	5,994	9,140	28,332		169,801
1960	8,430	6,650	5,760	27,832		174,665
1965	7,057	8,941	6,436	34,928		186,095
1966	8,589	11,057	6,874	38,808		209,285
1967	7,614	10,373	6,684	37,591		203,586
1968	6,065	9,067	6,923	38,994		212,271
1969	6,655	9,536	7,370	41,189		225,262
1970	6,999	11,407	7,951	45,460		255,009
1971	7,429	11,115	8,382	43,227		278,290
1972	6,993	11,639	8,727	48,430		309,762
1973	5,820	13,663	9,778	59,029		355,015
1974	6,197	13,193	9,771	68,516		422,431
1975	5,764	11,297	9,429	68,187		443,777
1976	5,852	10,476	8,540	79,437		525,097
1977	5,202	11,861	8,459	82,395		582,658
1978	4,449	13,805	13,431	94,929		669,612
1979	3,935	15,943	18,290	107,969		836,682

Source: Nebraska Public Service Commission, Annual Reports.

AIR ACTIVITY AT SELECTED
NEBRASKA POINTS

Nebraska	1979	
Community	Enplaned Revenue Passengers	Revenue Tons Cargo/Mail
Alliance	3,101	4.58
Chadron	2,963	2.82
Columbus	464	5.99
Grand Island	47,605	210.10
Hastings	404	7.06
Kearney	382	6.35
Lincoln	245,498	1,222.30
McCook	232	9.17
Norfolk	7,729	56.41
North Platte	26,819	46.37
Omaha	987,908	9,939.36
Scottsbluff	31,323	85.28
Sidney	1,948	2.21
TOTAL	1,356,376	11,598.00

Source: U.S. Department of Transportation, Federal Aviation Administration, Civil Aeronautics Board, Airport Activity Statistics of Certified Route Air Carriers, calendar year 1979.

COMMUNICATIONS FACILITIES

Nebraska

1980

Telephones (as of December 31, 1979)

Total Telephones	1,297,000
Ownership	
Bell Companies	752,300
Other	544,700
Telephones per 100 population	61
Percent of Households with telephones	101

Commercial Broadcast Stations (January 1, 1980)

Total	93
AM	49
FM	37
TV	14

Daily and Sunday Newspapers (February 1, 1980)

	<u>Number</u>	<u>Net Paid Circulation</u>
Daily	19	487,000
Sunday	5	411,000

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, Statistical Abstract of the United States, 1981.

DAILY NEWSPAPER CIRCULATION

Nebraska				1982
City	Newspaper	Morning	Evening	Sunday
Alliance	Times-Herald		4,890	
Beatrice	Sun		11,072	
Columbus	Telegram		11,913	
Falls City	Journal		5,299	
Fremont	Tribune		13,113	
Grand Island	Independent		24,498	25,855
Hastings	Tribune		17,819	
Holdrege	Citizen		3,927	
Kearney	Hub		11,362	
Lincoln	Journal-Star	31,756	44,381	72,903
McCook	Gazette		10,512	
Nebraska City	News-Press		4,007	4,052
Norfolk	News		22,285	
North Platte	Telegraph		16,819	17,350
Omaha	World-Herald	120,784	105,251	274,023
Scottsbluff	Star-Herald	18,072		18,767
York	News-Times		6,333	

Source: '82 Ayer Directory of Publications, annual, (copyright).

NEWSPAPER OTHER THAN DAILY WITH CIRCULATION OVER 3,000

Nebraska

1982

City	Newspaper	Frequency	Circulation
Ainsworth	Star-Journal	weekly	3,047
Albion	News	weekly	3,229
	The Shopper	weekly	19,800
Auburn	Nemaha County Herald	weekly	3,662
	Press-Tribune	weekly	3,662
Aurora	News-Register	weekly	4,096
Bellevue	Bellevue Leader	weekly	16,000
	Press	weekly	3,300
Blair	Enterprise	weekly	12,350
	Pilot-Tribune	weekly	5,780
Broken Bow	Custer County Chief	bi-weekly	4,707
Central City	Republican Nonpareil	weekly	3,000
Cozad	Tri-City Tribune	bi-weekly	4,975
Crete	News	weekly	4,400
David City	Banner-Press	weekly	4,450
Fairbury	Journal-News	bi-weekly	5,206
Geneva	Nebraska Signal	weekly	3,919
Gering	Courier	weekly	3,310
Hebron	Journal Register	weekly	3,250
Lexington	Clipper	weekly	4,962
Lincoln	Sun	weekly	60,008
Minden	Minden Courier	weekly	3,400
Omaha	Jewish Press	weekly	4,600
	Sun	weekly	39,356
O'Neill	Frontier & Holt Cnty. Indepen.	weekly	5,250
Ord	Quiz	weekly	3,099
Papillion	Times	weekly	3,481
Plattsmouth	Journal	bi-weekly	4,199
Rushville	Sheridan County Star	weekly	3,400
Schuyler	Sun	weekly	3,800
Seward	Seward County Independent	weekly	4,500
Sidney	Telegraph	tri-weekly	3,498
South Sioux City	Star	weekly	6,511
Superior	Express	weekly	4,122
Sutton	Clay County News	weekly	3,450
Syracuse	Johnson County Courler	weekly	3,481
	Journal-Democrat	weekly	3,481
Tecumseh	Chieftain	weekly	3,269
Valentine	Valentine Newspaper	weekly	3,300
Wahoo	Wahoo Newspaper	weekly	4,822
Waterloo	Douglas County Gazette	weekly	3,231
Wayne	Wayne Herald	bi-weekly	7,650
West Point	West Point News	weekly	4,364

Source: '82 Ayer Directory of Publications, annual, (Copyright).

RADIO STATIONS

Nebraska				1982
City	Call Letters	Date Established	Frequency	Power
Alinsworth	KBRB(AM)	1968	1400	1kw
Alliance	KCOW(AM)	1949	1400	1kw
	KFAH(FM)	1978	92.1	3kw
Aurora	KIAE(FM)	1980	103.1	2.25kw
Beatrice	KMAZ(FM)	1962	92.9	97kw
	KWBE(AM)	1949	1450	1kw
Blair	KBWH(FM)	1979	106.3	3kw
	*KDCV-FM	1972	91.1	10w
Broken Bow	KCNI(AM)	1949	1280	1kw
Chadron	KCSR(AM)	1954	610	1kw
	KQSK(FM)	1979	97.5	100kw
Columbus	KJSK(AM)	1948	900	1kw
	KOXI(FM)	1964	101.1	100kw
	*KTLX-FM	1974	91.9	100w
	KTTT(AM)	1962	1510	500w
	KTTT-FM	1969	93.5	3kw
Cozad	KAMI(AM)	1965	1580	1kw
Crete	KTAP(FM)	1976	103.9	3kw
Crookston	*KINI(FM)	1978	96.1	57kw
Fairbury	KGMT(AM)	1960	1310	500w
Falls City	KTNC(AM)	1957	1230	500w
	KTNC-FM	1981	953	3kw
Fremont	KHUB(AM)	1939	1340	500w
	KHUB-FM	1972	105.5	1.2kw
Gordon	KSDZ-FM	1979	95.5	30kw
Grand Island	KMMJ(AM)	1925	750	10kw
	KRGI(AM)	1953	1430	5kw
	KRGI-FM	1975	96.5	100kw
	*KROA(FM)	1967	95.7	100kw
Hastings	*KCNT(FM)	1971	88.1	2.3kw
	KEZH(FM)	1965	93.5	3kw
	KHAS(AM)	1940	1230	1kw
	KICS(AM)	1964	1550	500w
Holdrege	KUVR(AM)	1956	1380	500w
	KUVR-FM	1970	97.7	3kw
Kearney	KGFW(AM)	1927	1340	1kw
	*KOVF-FM	1968	91.3	1kw
	KQKY(FM)	1979	105.9	96.6kw
	KRNY(AM)	1956	1460	5kw
	KRNY-FM	1962	98.9	40kw

RADIO STATIONS (CONT'D)

Nebraska				1982
City	Call Letters	Date Established	Frequency	Power
Kimball	KIMB (AM)	1959	1260	1kw
Lexington	KRVN (AM)	1951	880	50kw
	KRVN-FM	1962	93.1	35kw
Lincoln	KBHL (FM)	1975	95.3	3kw
	KECK (AM)	1965	1530	5kw
	KFMQ (FM)	1958	101.9	100kw
	KFOR (AM)	1924	1240	1kw
	KFRX (FM)	1965	102.7	100kw
	KHAT (FM)	1973	106.3	2.9kw
	KLIN (AM)	1947	1400	1kw
	KLIN-FM	1968	107.3	100kw
	KLMS (AM)	1949	1480	1kw
	*KRNU (FM)	1970	90.3	10w
	*KUCV-FM	1968	90.9	18.2kw
	KZUM-FM	1978	89.5	10w
McCook	KBRL (AM)	1947	1300	5kw
	KICX (AM)	1961	1360	1kw
	KICX-FM	1979	95.9	1.8kw
	KZMC-FM	1981	105.3	100kw
Nebraska City	KNCY (AM)	1959	1600	500w
	KNCY-FM	1977	97.7	3kw
Norfolk	KEXL (FM)	1971	106.7	100kw
	KNEN (FM)	1979	94.7	100kw
	WJAG (AM)	1922	780	1kw
North Platte	KAHL (AM)	1966	1410	5kw
	KELN (FM)	1980	97.1	100kw
	KJLT (AM)	1957	970	5kw
	KODY (AM)	1930	1240	1kw
	KODY-FM	1979	94.9	63kw
Ogallala	KMCX (FM)	1975	93.5	3kw
	KOGA (AM)	1955	930	500w
	KOGA-FM	1978	99.7	39kw
Omaha	KCRO (AM)	1922	660	1kw
	KEFM (FM)	1976	96.1	100kw
	KESY-FM	1972	104.5	31kw
	KEZO (FM)	1961	92.3	100kw
	KFAB (AM)	1924	1110	50kw
	*KGBI-FM	1966	100.7	100kw
	KGOR (FM)	1959	99.9	115kw
	*KIOS-FM	1969	91.5	50kw
	KOIL (AM)	1976	1290	5kw
	KOOO (AM)	1957	1420	1kw
	*KVNO (FM)	1972	90.7	3kw
	KYNN (AM)	1942	1490	1kw
	KYNN-FM	1959	94.1	100kw
	WOW (AM)	1923	590	5kw

RADIO STATIONS (CONT'D)

Nebraska				1982
City	Call Letters	Date Established	Frequency	Power
O'Neill	KRBX(AM)	1955	1350	1kw
	KBRX-FM	1973	102.9	100kw
Ord	KNLV(AM)	1965	1060	1kw
	KNLV-FM	1981	103.9	1.86kw
Plattsmouth	KOTD(AM)	1970	1000	250w
Scottsbluff	KMOR(FM)	1978	92.9	100kw
	KNEB(AM)	1948	960	1kw
	KNEB-FM	1960	94.1	100kw
	KOLT(AM)	1930	1320	5kw
Seward	KSRD(FM)	1976	96.9	100kw
Sidney	KSID(AM)	1952	1340	1kw
	KSID-FM	1974	95.3	3kw
Superior	KRFS(AM)	1959	1600	500w
	KRFS-FM	1977	103.9	500w
Terrytown	KCMI(FM)	1980	103.9	3kw
	KEYR(AM)	1961	690	1kw
Valentine	KVSH(AM)	1961	940	5kw
Wayne	KTCH(AM)	1968	1590	2.5kw
	KTCH-FM	1975	104.9	3kw
	*KWSC(FM)	1971	91.9	320w
York	KAWL(AM)	1954	1370	500w
	KAWL-FM	1970	104.9	2.75kw

* NonCommercial

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SECTION I

CONSTRUCTION
AND HOUSING

AIRCRAFT, AIRMEN, AIRPORTS, AND AIR TRAFFIC

Nebraska			Selected Years					
Year	Civil Aircraft	Pilots	Airports			Certificated Route Carriers		
			Total	Public	Private	Enplaned Passengers	Tons	
							Revenue Freight	Mall
1963	1,385	3,707	285	98	187	473,066	2,466.3	1,555.6
1964	1,302	4,102	339	103	236	529,750	2,811.4	1,578.7
1965	1,362	4,627	352	104	248	599,084	3,562.5	1,792.0
1966	1,098	4,313	353	106	247	685,561	4,638.6	2,232.2
1967	1,266	4,745	353	106	247	NA	NA	NA
1968	1,214	5,773	354	106	248	917,186	6,069.5	5,934.0
1969	1,243	6,496	336	106	233	875,818	6,541.9	5,867.7
1970	1,344	6,842	326	115	211	868,868	NA	NA
1971	1,445	7,089	326	115	211	NA	NA	NA
1972	1,472	7,508	326	126	206	910,363	7,637.5	3,878.5
1973	2,130	7,759	339	127	212	971,654	9,096.9	3,920.7
1974	1,946	7,910	351	129	222	1,010,303	6,629.3	3,899.2
1975	2,442	8,457	341	122	219	994,485	4,874.4	3,744.4
1976	2,812	7,700	343	124	219	1,092,143	6,066.6	4,572.3
1977	2,863	8,200	375	109	265	1,117,572	6,478.1	4,869.9
1978	2,913	8,100	383	110	273	1,274,177	5,818.8	5,898.9
1979	3,133	7,950	383	111	272	1,364,376	4,851.9	6,746.1
1980	3,214	7,906	331	112	219	1,129,666	3,332.7	7,450.0

NA - Not Available

Source: U.S. Department of Transportation, Federal Aviation Administration, Statistical Handbook of Aviation, and Airport Activity Statistics of Certificated Route Air Carriers; Nebraska Department of Aeronautics, Annual Report.

TELEVISION STATIONS

Nebraska						1982
City	Call Letters	Channel	Year Established	Video Power	Station &/or Network Affiliation	
Albion	KCNA-TV	8	1964	316kw	**KHGI-TV, Kearney, ABC	
Alliance	*KTNE-TV	13	1966	316kw	**KUON-TV, Lincoln, PBS	
Bassett	*KMNE-TV	7	1967	316kw	**KUON-TV, Lincoln, PBS	
Grand Island	KGIN-TV	11	1961	316kw	**KOLN-TV, Lincoln, CBS	
Hastings	KHAS-TV	5	1956	100kw	NBC	
	*KHNE-TV	29	1968	383kw	**KUON-TV, Lincoln, PBS	
Hayes Center	KWNR-TV	6	1956	100kw	**KHGI-TV, Kearney, ABC	
Kearney	KHGI-TV	13	1953	316kw	ABC	
Lexington	*KLNE-TV	3	1965	100kw	**KUON-TV, Lincoln	
Lincoln	KOLN-TV	10	1953	316kw	CBS	
	*KUON-TV	12	1954	316kw	PBS	
McCook	KOMC	8	1959	100.8kw	**KARD-TV, Wichita, Kans., NBC	
Merriman	*KRNE-TV	12	1968	316kw	**KUON-TV, Lincoln, PBS	
Norfolk	*KXNE-TV	19	1967	309kw	**KUON-TV, Lincoln, PBS	
North Platte	KNOP-TV	2	1958	100kw	NBC	
	*KPNE-TV	9	1966	316kw	**KUON-TV, Lincoln PBS	
Omaha	KETV	7	1957	316kw	ABC	
	KMTV	3	1949	100kw	NBC	
	*KYNE-TV	26	1965	520kw	***KUON-TV, PBS	
	WOW-TV	6	1949	100kw	CBS	
Scottsbluff	KDUH-TV	4	1958	100kw	NBC, ABC	
	KSTF	10	1955	240kw	CBS, ABC	
Superior	KSNB-TV	4	1965	100kw	**KHGI-TV, Kearney, ABC	

*Noncommercial, **Co-owned Satellite, ***Satellite

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SECTION I
CONSTRUCTION AND HOUSING

The number of building permits authorizing the construction of residential housing declined in 1981 to 3,763 units (preliminary count). This represented a 45.5 percent decrease from the industry's 1980 performance and was the lowest level of production since World War II. This cutback in new residential construction was accompanied by a decline in mortgage lending. Mortgage lending in 1981 totaled \$383 million—a 31 percent decrease from 1980. These figures reflect the impact of increasing costs for new homes and record-level interest rates on mortgage loans.

In 1980, there were 624,821 housing units in Nebraska, an increase of 109,291 from 1970. The median value of owner-occupied units was \$38,000, compared to \$12,400 in 1970, and the median rent was \$170, compared to \$77 in 1970.

Of the approximately 391,000 owner-occupied units in the State, 68 percent were in the urban areas. The median value of homes in the State was \$38,000 with the median value of urban homes exceeding that of rural homes by about \$7,000. This corresponds to the fact that the rural areas accounted for over 60 percent of the owner-occupied homes valued under \$10,000, while 80 percent of the homes valued at \$50,000 or more were in the urban areas.

The U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census is the source of the data presented in this section. Information about housing in Nebraska was obtained from the 1980 Census of Housing, and data on construction activity was obtained from the Census Bureau publications, Statistical Abstract of the United States and Construction Reports, Series C40. Mortgage lending data came from the Federal Home Loan Bank Board.

VALUE OF CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS
(Millions of Dollars)

Nebraska/United States		Selected Years			
Year	United States(1)	Nebraska			
		Total	Residential	Non-residential	Non Building
1940	\$ 4,004	\$ 26	NA	NA	NA
1945	3,299	38	NA	NA	NA
1950	14,501	106	NA	NA	NA
1955	23,745	221	NA	NA	NA
1960	36,318	288	NA	NA	NA
1965	49,272	360	\$121	\$135	\$104
1966	50,150	373	117	129	127
1967	54,514	352	162	162	73
1968	61,732	462	158	152	152
1969	68,294	375	149	120	107
1970	68,294	334	122	110	102
1971	80,188	426	195	107	131
1972	90,977	611	270	195	151
1973	99,304	683	253	227	204
1974	93,685	703	184	301	226
1975	92,659	747	214	197	338
1976	107,158	960	311	196	453
1977	139,723	1,197	418	261	518
1978	158,438	1,392	515	245	543
1979	166,378	1,043	484	267	277
1980	147,164	838	340	276	222

Note: Value of construction in state where work is done.

NA - Not Available

(1) Prior to 1970, excludes Alaska and Hawaii.

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, Statistical Abstract of the United States, annual.

NEW HOUSING UNITS AUTHORIZED
BY BUILDING PERMITS AND PUBLIC CONTRACTS

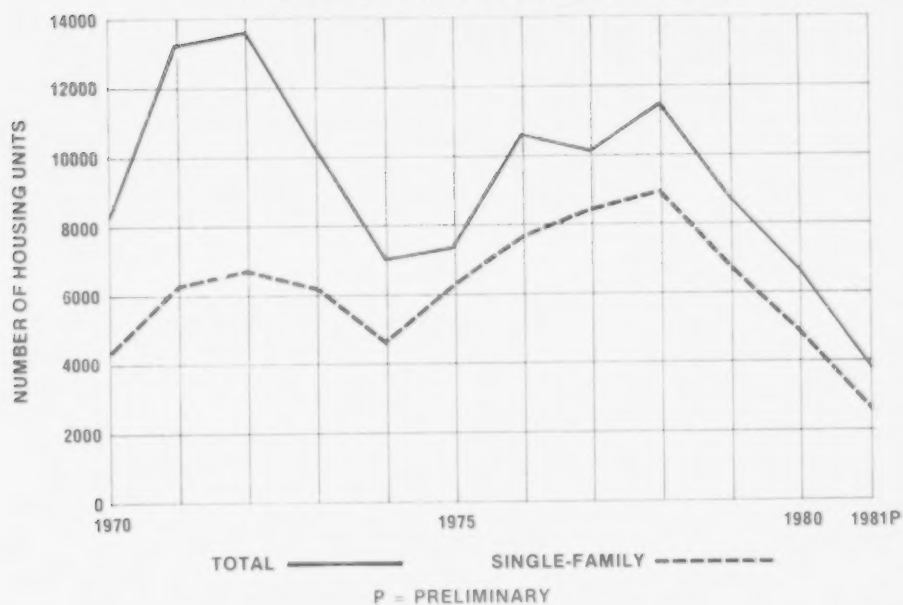
Nebraska		1963-1981
Period	Units	Value
1963	7,074	\$ 78,000,000
1964	7,133	78,000,000
1965	7,813	82,000,000
1966	5,114	59,000,000
1967	7,263	77,000,000
1968	9,356	96,000,000
1969	7,418	82,300,000
1970	8,014	89,700,000
1971	13,156	141,071,000
1972	13,556	165,887,000
1973	10,207	146,793,000
1974	7,019	123,033,000
1975	7,927	151,000,000
1976	10,528	225,568,000
1977	11,322	287,043,000
1978	10,553	289,575,000
1979	8,785	275,124,000
1980	6,906	207,765,000
1981(P)	3,763	137,390,000

Note: Based on reports from places having local building permit systems: 1963-1966 based on 12,000 places, 1967-1971 on 13,000 places, 1972-1977 on 14,000 places, and 1978-1981 on 16,000 places.

(P) - Preliminary

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, Construction Reports-Housing Authorized by Building Permits & Public Contracts, Series C40, annual.

HOUSING UNITS AUTHORIZED BY PERMIT FOR CONSTRUCTION



HOUSING UNITS BY TYPE,
AUTHORIZED FOR CONSTRUCTION

Nebraska	Selected Years					
Type of Unit	1970	1975	1978	1979	1980	1981
Single Family	4,342	6,218	8,806	6,601	4,928	2,618
Multi-Family	3,762	1,069	2,514	2,134	1,738	1,145
Total	8,104	7,287	11,320	8,735	6,666	3,763

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, Construction Reports, Housing Authorized By Building Permits and Public Contracts, Series C40, annual.

MORTGAGE LENDING BY INSURED
SAVINGS AND LOANS
(Thousands of Dollars)

Nebraska	1975-1981					
Quarter/Year	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981
1st Quarter	127,581	161,517	170,702	180,051	79,501	87,700
2nd Quarter	194,943	270,675	266,722	263,267	121,700	117,900
3rd Quarter	218,955	270,117	251,358	279,303	180,800	123,400
4th Quarter	176,970	205,332	223,926	198,586	171,500	54,000
Annual Total	718,449	907,641	912,708	921,207	553,501	383,000

Source: Federal Home Loan Bank Board, Unpublished data for Federally Insured Savings and Loan Associations in Nebraska.

HOUSING AND PLUMBING FACILITIES BY OCCUPANCY

Nebraska		1980		
Housing Characteristics	State	Urban	Rural	
ALL YEAR-ROUND UNITS	618,699	389,623	229,076	
With all plumbing facilities	606,962	385,616	221,346	
Lacking some plumbing facilities	11,737	3,993	7,744	
OWNER OCCUPIED	390,931	236,294	154,637	
With all plumbing facilities	387,858	235,709	152,149	
Lacking some or all facilities	3,073	585	2,488	
RENTER OCCUPIED	180,469	129,727	50,742	
With all plumbing facilities	176,664	127,087	49,577	
Lacking some or all facilities	3,805	2,640	1,165	

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, Census of Housing, 1980.

SUMMARY OF SELECTED HOUSING CHARACTERISTICS

Nebraska		1960-1980		
Subject	1960	1970	1980	
All Housing Units	472,950	515,069	624,829	
Median number of rooms	5.1	5.1	5.3	
Percent in one-unit structures	85.2	79.7	79.7	
Percent with all plumbing facilities	82.5	93.9	98.1	
Occupied Housing Units	433,448	473,721	571,400	
Median number of persons	2.8	2.5	2.3	
Percent 1.01 or more persons per room	9.2	6.2	2.1	
Percent occupied by non-white	2.1	2.3	4.2	
Percent owner occupied	64.8	61.5	68.4	
Percent mobile homes	1.6	2.7	4.3	
Owner occupied: median value	\$ 9,400	\$12,400	\$38,000	
Renter occupied: median rent	\$ 67	\$ 77	\$ 170	

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, Census of Housing.

HOUSING CHARACTERISTICS BY FAMILY INCOME
(Households in Thousands)

Nebraska			1975						
All Households	Total			Inside Metropolitan Areas			Outside Metropolitan Areas		
	Total	Owner Occupied	Renter Occupied	Total	Owner Occupied	Renter Occupied	Total	Owner Occupied	Renter Occupied
Total	537	361	154	241	147	90	296	214	64
Under \$5,000	103	54	43	36	11	24	67	43	19
\$5,000 to \$9,999	118	67	44	49	22	27	69	45	17
\$10,000 to \$14,999	115	79	32	51	32	18	64	47	14
\$15,000 to \$19,999	85	62	20	41	29	12	44	33	8
\$20,000 to \$24,999	55	46	8	31	26	5	24	21	3
\$25,000 to \$29,999	25	23	2	14	12	2	11	10	1
\$30,000 to \$49,999	28	24	3	15	13	2	13	11	1
\$50,000 & over	8	6	1	3	3	—	4	3	1
Median Income-\$	11,994	13,748	8,985	13,288	16,503	8,989	10,920	12,025	8,980
Mean Household Size	2.83	3.03	2.37	2.80	3.23	2.12	2.87	2.89	2.72

Note: Caution should be exercised when comparing estimates from the Survey of Income and Education (SIE) with the 1970 Census because of numerous conceptual, collection, and processing differences.

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, Current Population Reports, Series P-60, No. 108, Household Money Income in 1975, by Housing Tenure and Residence, for the United States, Regions, Divisions and States (Spring 1976 Survey of Income & Education).

HOUSING CHARACTERISTICS
BY COUNTY

Nebraska

1980

County	Year-Round Housing Units	Occupied Units		Units Lacking Complete Plumbing	Financial	
		Urban	Rural		Median Value	Median Rent
Adams	12,638	9,295	2,445	115	\$41,300	\$158
Antelope	3,689	0	3,202	61	25,500	83
Arthur	233	0	198	1	14,100	77
Banner	410	0	315	2	22,300	90
Blaine	368	0	307	8	11,100	67
Boone	3,066	0	2,681	53	22,500	93
Box Butte	5,548	3,718	1,320	65	43,300	188
Boyd	1,457	0	1,267	42	16,100	77
Brown	1,996	0	1,698	25	27,900	108
Buffalo	13,439	7,485	4,799	161	44,400	166
Burt	3,803	0	3,371	70	25,800	90
Butler	3,809	991	2,388	130	22,800	107
Cass	8,322	2,209	4,941	94	34,900	137
Cedar	4,094	0	3,819	86	25,600	97
Chase	2,099	0	1,722	7	31,100	109
Cherry	2,963	1,155	1,347	31	26,700	125
Cheyenne	4,473	2,391	1,544	24	27,800	117
Clay	3,354	0	3,012	35	23,200	106
Colfax	4,042	1,643	2,041	102	27,200	121
Cuming	4,324	1,352	2,700	62	33,600	107
Custer	6,180	1,576	3,695	83	25,000	103
Dakota	6,129	3,738	1,978	64	37,600	180
Dawes	3,927	2,119	1,379	50	31,900	136
Dawson	9,363	5,606	2,573	74	35,600	150
Deuel	1,118	0	963	8	26,100	78
Dixon	2,849	0	2,551	66	24,700	109
Dodge	14,243	9,129	4,163	155	34,300	153
Douglas	155,636	139,973	6,156	1,443	39,100	184
Dundy	1,438	0	1,148	21	20,900	81
Fillmore	3,276	0	3,009	52	27,000	103
Franklin	2,054	0	1,743	33	18,100	83

HOUSING CHARACTERISTICS
BY COUNTY (CONT'D)

Nebraska

1980

County	Year-Round Housing Units	Occupied Units		Units Lacking Complete Plumbing	Financial	
		Urban	Rural		Median Value	Median Rent
Frontier	1,790	0	1,344	32	\$26,900	\$109
Furnas	3,080	0	2,613	17	20,000	83
Gage	9,911	5,255	3,990	124	30,200	128
Garden	1,401	0	1,130	14	23,600	88
Garfield	1,075	0	914	30	22,700	77
Gosper	1,249	0	774	11	35,400	125
Grant	430	0	322	6	16,300	104
Greeley	1,424	0	1,213	19	17,800	83
Hall	18,769	12,819	4,644	164	43,500	174
Hamilton	3,602	1,404	1,867	19	35,800	129
Harlan	2,129	0	1,688	15	22,200	85
Hayes	671	0	480	4	21,100	96
Hitchcock	1,741	0	1,536	14	21,000	95
Holt	5,411	1,539	3,251	97	28,400	110
Hooker	449	0	378	6	27,900	105
Howard	2,662	0	2,364	35	29,600	109
Jefferson	4,271	2,121	1,815	91	21,800	101
Johnson	2,201	0	2,040	45	22,200	86
Kearney	2,826	1,173	1,370	19	36,900	138
Keith	4,785	2,102	1,389	21	38,000	142
Keya Paha	566	0	479	19	26,600	103
Kimball	2,032	1,169	631	12	30,600	115
Knox	4,804	0	4,176	122	24,600	84
Lancaster	76,378	65,377	443	532	47,200	191
Lincoln	14,760	9,178	4,067	110	43,700	178
Logan	402	0	349	6	27,000	126
Loup	367	0	319	7	17,800	87
McPherson	264	0	221	6	20,600	104
Madison	12,327	7,471	4,115	216	40,100	168
Merrick	3,604	1,147	1,982	36	29,100	115
Morrill	2,592	0	2,230	28	27,200	109

HOUSING CHARACTERISTICS
BY COUNTY (CONT'D)

Nebraska

1980

County	Year-Round Housing Units	Occupied Units		Units Lacking Complete Plumbing	Financial	
		Urban	Rural		Median Value	Median Rent
Nance	1,977	0	1,712	35	\$21,100	\$ 93
Nemaha	3,497	1,458	1,742	81	27,000	117
Nuckolls	2,899	1,058	1,532	28	20,900	83
Otoe	6,320	2,784	3,017	105	31,200	127
Pawnee	1,799	0	1,578	71	13,300	73
Perkins	1,559	0	1,361	5	32,900	106
Phelps	4,082	2,267	1,432	40	35,800	128
Pierce	3,240	0	3,046	66	31,200	103
Platte	10,397	6,389	3,695	75	42,300	158
Polk	2,575	0	2,322	21	25,200	92
Red Willow	5,309	3,309	1,486	36	34,600	135
Richardson	4,918	2,237	2,242	80	22,200	96
Rock	1,040	0	883	14	28,400	98
Saline	5,393	1,713	3,212	108	31,200	134
Sarpy	27,692	22,162	4,141	127	47,900	226
Saunders	7,589	1,460	5,143	141	33,600	126
Scotts Bluff	15,320	8,155	5,658	120	37,300	154
Seward	5,692	1,882	3,376	66	38,600	139
Sheridan	3,177	0	2,813	49	27,000	107
Sherman	1,815	0	1,530	50	20,500	73
Sioux	821	0	663	16	21,000	88
Stanton	2,289	0	2,152	34	37,200	119
Thayer	3,182	0	2,922	41	21,500	100
Thomas	426	0	358	4	21,200	100
Thurston	2,571	0	2,347	106	23,900	101
Valley	2,543	1,082	1,088	26	26,100	88
Washington	5,688	2,267	2,990	65	41,600	139
Wayne	3,571	1,742	1,590	81	39,800	131
Webster	2,205	0	1,915	36	20,800	80
Wheeler	542	0	368	8	19,600	79
York	5,791	2,939	2,489	43	37,100	141

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, Census of Housing, 1980.

PRINCIPAL HOUSE HEATING FUEL
BY OCCUPIED HOUSING UNITS

Nebraska

1970

County	Natural Gas	L.P. Gas	Elec- tricity	Fuel Oil, Kerosene, etc.	Coal or Coke	Wood
Adams	4,701	518	4,901	156	0	24
Antelope	921	652	1,490	429	37	0
Arthur	0	126	21	21	0	0
Banner	21	139	132	35	0	0
Blaine	23	194	22	21	0	0
Boone	1,514	659	142	248	21	25
Box Butte	2,038	503	35	771	0	0
Boyd	41	621	41	487	0	0
Brown	362	652	62	244	0	0
Buffalo	7,764	1,295	400	310	0	21
Burt	1,488	1,026	183	561	0	0
Butler	1,236	895	102	695	70	76
Cass	3,695	783	127	1,027	0	16
Cedar	1,488	542	106	1,106	67	20
Chase	260	537	84	367	25	0
Cherry	0	1,237	283	804	0	0
Cheyenne	2,660	723	91	235	0	0
Clay	2,052	540	73	71	43	20
Colfax	1,111	485	94	1,565	18	100
Cuming	1,697	326	157	1,170	97	34
Custer	1,913	2,385	18	501	58	43
Dakota	3,407	305	55	435	0	0
Dawes	1,500	437	437	873	62	0
Dawson	4,684	1,200	1,200	377	0	24
Deuel	772	149	23	66	22	0
Dixon	946	454	103	579	45	0
Dodge	8,812	688	465	1,444	81	22
Douglas	106,509	1,585	3,632	9,859	82	0
Dundy	219	630	19	246	48	0
Fillmore	1,593	1,075	79	136	22	0
Franklin	1,179	264	20	194	20	17
Frontier	323	709	64	184	0	0

PRINCIPAL HOUSE HEATING FUEL
BY OCCUPIED HOUSING UNITS (CONT'D)

Nebraska

1970

County	Natural Gas	L.P. Gas	Elec- tricity	Fuel Oil, Kerosene, etc.	Coal or Coke	Wood
Furnas	1,641	596	21	61	0	0
Gage	5,709	1,861	204	256	142	19
Garden	599	417	41	59	0	0
Garfield	546	277	0	0	0	47
Gosper	270	350	62	0	0	0
Grant	0	214	15	63	0	0
Greeley	337	671	18	202	34	0
Hall	12,520	1,055	143	221	0	0
Hamilton	2,033	695	59	142	22	0
Harlan	1,142	321	24	20	0	0
Hayes	93	371	0	43	0	0
Hitchcock	19	839	27	281	53	0
Holt	1,268	1,172	346	1,215	41	50
Hooker	0	218	15	129	0	0
Howard	893	659	187	371	18	0
Jefferson	2,380	954	73	301	38	18
Johnson	922	677	42	234	42	0
Kearney	1,702	323	54	176	22	0
Keith	1,991	525	138	22	0	0
Keya Paha	21	288	0	62	0	40
Kimball	1,166	516	75	142	0	0
Knox	1,401	836	192	1,332	94	20
Lancaster	47,806	2,901	1,340	1,421	17	21
Lincoln	7,895	1,437	120	183	41	19
Logan	41	225	0	72	0	0
Loup	0	196	0	68	0	0
McPherson	18	121	0	24	0	0
Madison	6,834	729	142	1,186	105	0
Merrick	1,606	948	96	359	41	0
Morrill	1,215	435	162	41	0	0
Nance	867	383	44	188	0	0
Nemaha	1,726	699	223	313	23	23

PRINCIPAL HOUSE HEATING FUEL
BY OCCUPIED HOUSING UNITS (CONT'D)

Nebraska						1970
County	Natural Gas	L.P. Gas	Elec- tricity	Fuel Oil, Kerosene, etc.	Coal or Coke	Wood
Nuckolls	1,554	700	139	143	46	22
Otoe	3,257	1,298	148	638	0	44
Pawnee	539	868	36	82	0	0
Perkins	273	566	77	198	0	0
Phelps	2,397	414	108	224	0	0
Pierce	1,246	579	95	595	65	61
Platte	5,590	1,105	496	929	77	0
Polk	1,311	439	50	470	0	0
Red Willow	3,458	687	109	82	20	0
Richardson	2,362	969	237	437	37	49
Rock	265	200	58	197	0	18
Saline	3,052	888	165	268	39	20
Sarpy	13,108	572	737	1,409	20	20
Saunders	2,250	986	201	1,777	109	66
Scotts Bluff	8,586	1,766	306	545	39	0
Seward	2,480	1,558	60	314	21	0
Sheridan	899	581	40	784	0	0
Sherman	694	357	78	211	119	18
Sioux	21	543	0	91	0	20
Stanton	601	506	106	450	83	20
Thayer	1,402	850	123	192	87	0
Thomas	21	163	36	38	0	0
Thurston	1,192	492	38	382	62	42
Valley	1,367	416	86	110	17	0
Washington	2,483	635	239	897	18	0
Wayne	1,763	630	122	570	80	0
Webster	1,307	586	47	89	0	22
Wheeler	0	249	0	42	0	0
York	2,850	1,135	224	296	18	0

Note: Other miscellaneous fuels not included.

Sources: U.S. Bureau of the Census, Census of Housing, 1970.

SECTION J

EDUCATION

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During the 1960s total enrollment in Nebraska's public schools steadily increased--total enrollment for the 1970-1971 school year was 12.4 percent higher than the total for the 1960-61 school year. However, the 1970s have seen a continued decline in the State's public school enrollments. The 280,921 students enrolled in the 1980-81 school year were 15.6 percent less than the total in 1970-71. The average cost of education per public school student since 1970-71 has nearly tripled, reaching \$2,190 in 1980-81.

In addition to the University of Nebraska with campuses in Lincoln and Omaha, post-secondary education in Nebraska consists of four State colleges, sixteen technical community college campuses and fourteen independent colleges and universities. In the five year period from 1975 to 1980 overall enrollment in these institutions increased by nearly 20 percent. The largest enrollment increase has occurred in the technical community colleges, which grew 77.6 percent. State colleges were up 17.5 percent, the University of Nebraska increased 3.6 percent and independent colleges and universities grew by 16.6 percent during this period. A substantial portion of this increase reflects a growing percentage of part-time students in higher education, particularly in the technical community colleges.

The statistics included in this section deal with the educational institutions in the State. Information on enrollment and financing public education was provided by the State Board of Education and the Nebraska Department of Education. Statistics presented on higher education were provided by the U.S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare, and the Nebraska Coordinating Commission for Postsecondary Education.

OWNER OCCUPIED UNITS BY VALUE
(URBAN AND RURAL)

Nebraska							
Value	1950		1960		1970		1950-1980
	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural	Urban Rural
Less than \$5,000	23,955	32,418	12,805	28,698	8,916	21,250	NA NA
Less than \$10,000	69,304	48,901	57,582	53,556	45,160	45,150	6,561 10,575
\$10,000 to \$14,999	16,346	2,541	46,068	8,940	43,698	11,874	8,457 8,452
\$15,000 to \$19,999	4,518	525	20,857	3,325	37,887	7,489	12,183 8,627
\$20,000 or More	2,351	477	13,696	2,176	40,355	7,467	170,353 55,839
\$20,000 to \$24,999	NA	NA	7,111	1,156	19,420	3,845	15,933 9,104
\$25,000 to \$34,999	NA	NA	4,287	630	13,529	2,503	37,822 14,718
\$35,000 or More	NA	NA	2,298	390	7,406	1,119	116,598 32,017
\$35,000 to \$49,999	NA	NA	NA	NA	4,982	814	59,487 17,738
\$50,000 or More	NA	NA	NA	NA	2,424	305	57,111 14,279
\$50,000 to \$79,999	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	43,599 9,256
\$80,000 to \$199,999	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	13,078 4,902
\$200,000 or More	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	434 121

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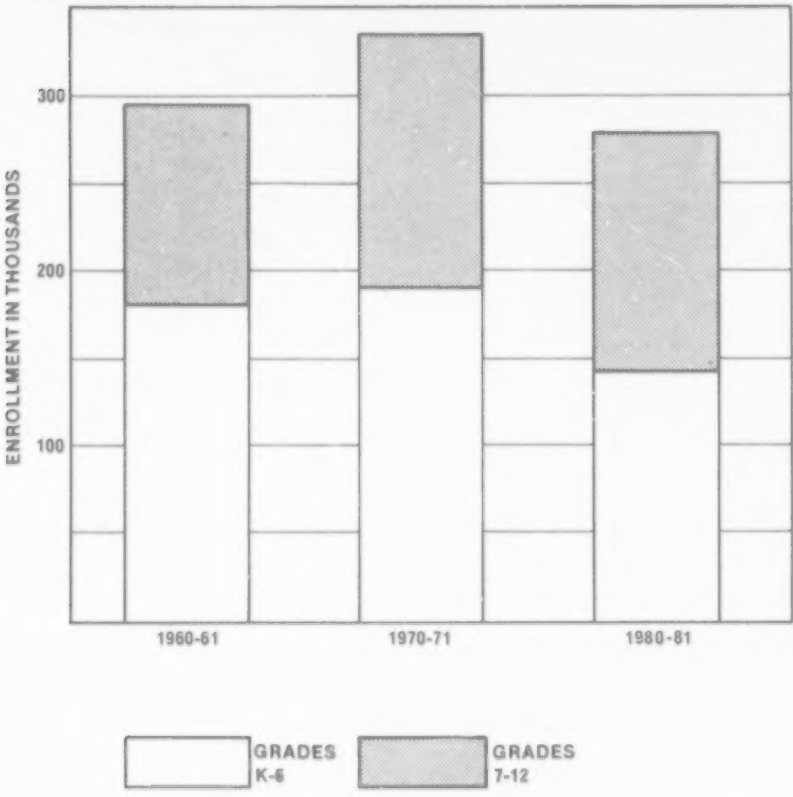
Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, Census of Housing.

VACANT HOUSING UNITS

Nebraska	Total Housing Units			Vacant Units			Selected Years		
							Percent Vacant		
	1960	1970	1980	1960	1970	1980	1960	1970	1970
STATE	472,950	515,069	618,699	39,502	38,170	47,299	8.4	7.5	7.6
Urban	253,334	309,172	389,423	13,245	17,243	23,584	5.2	5.6	6.1
Rural	219,616	205,897	229,076	26,257	20,927	23,715	19.6	10.3	10.4

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, Census of Housing.

ENROLLMENT IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS



ENROLLMENT IN SCHOOLS
BY GRADE

Nebraska		1980-1981
Grade	Enrollment	
	Public	Private
K	21,767	2,165
1	20,532	2,838
2	19,775	2,753
3	21,015	2,868
4	21,872	3,016
5	21,375	3,170
6	20,976	2,965
7	20,392	2,977
8	20,600	3,032
9	21,717	2,647
10	23,497	2,467
11	23,452	2,434
12	23,017	2,432

Source: Nebraska Department of Education,
Statistics and Facts About Nebraska
Schools, 1980-1981.

NUMBER OF HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES

Nebraska		1972-1981
Year	Graduates	
1972	24,814	
1973	25,128	
1974	24,792	
1975	24,605	
1976	24,792	
1977	25,561	
1978	25,688	
1979	25,652	
1980	24,803	
1981	24,442	

Source: Nebraska Department of Education,
Statistics and Facts About Nebraska
Schools, annual.

GENERAL STATISTICS OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Nebraska							1960-1981
School Year	Enrollment			Number of Teachers	Pupil/ Teacher Ratio	Total Current Expense (\$000)	Average Cost Per Student (Dollars)
	All Grades	Grades K-6	Grades 7-12				
1960-1961	296,210	180,038	116,172	13,316	22.24	\$ 90,317	\$ 304.91
1961-1962	306,089	183,594	122,495	13,554	22.58	97,940	319.32
1962-1963	308,012	181,671	126,341	13,580	22.68	105,530	342.62
1963-1964	316,050	183,186	132,864	14,281	22.13	113,473	359.03
1964-1965	322,910	185,214	137,696	14,650	22.04	124,245	384.77
1965-1966	322,491	184,408	138,083	14,938	21.59	132,585	411.13
1966-1967	325,420	183,253	140,224	15,107	21.54	144,995	490.60
1967-1968	329,478	184,322	142,816	15,329	21.49	163,306	546.24
1968-1969	330,391	193,023	137,368	17,069	19.36	159,383	625.00
1969-1970	332,072	192,078	139,994	17,515	18.96	213,779	691.72
1970-1971	332,898	190,128	142,770	17,256	19.29	237,230	767.52
1971-1972	332,507	186,617	145,890	18,434	18.21	258,026	835.50
1972-1973	330,257	182,462	147,795	18,046	18.30	278,435	911.64
1973-1974	324,527	176,829	147,698	18,256	17.78	296,470	988.19
1974-1975	319,615	171,418	148,197	18,442	17.33	357,241	1,132.00
1975-1976	316,581	168,515	148,066	18,718	16.91	336,836	1,132.13
1976-1977	312,048	163,951	148,097	20,962	14.89	423,812	1,463.67
1977-1978	306,206	161,093	145,113	21,144	14.75	435,000	1,526.00
1978-1979	297,796	158,420	139,376	21,230	14.29	521,379	1,778.00
1979-1980	287,570	147,038	138,261	21,255	13.53	539,999	1,968.00
1980-1981	280,921	147,312	132,675	20,894	13.45	582,054	2,190.00

Source: State Board of Education, Annual Report; Nebraska Department of Education, Statistics and Facts about Nebraska Schools, annual.

GENERAL STATISTICS OF NON-PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Nebraska				Selected Years		
Item	1980-81			1979-80		
	Elementary	Secondary	Total	Elementary	Secondary	Total
Number of Schools	203	44	247	198	47	245
Enrollment	25,395	10,958	36,353	25,601	11,443	37,044
Teachers	1,399.1	853.9	2,253.0	1,399	872	2,271
Pupil-Teacher Ratio	18.2	12.8	16.1	18.3	13.1	16.3

Source: Nebraska Department of Education, Statistics & Facts About Nebraska Schools, annual.

SOURCES OF REVENUE OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Nebraska					1960-1981
School Year	Local	County	State	Federal	Total
1960-1961	78,852,630	8,891,643	4,385,211	3,745,931	95,875,416
1961-1962	85,372,952	8,627,526	5,008,156	5,069,638	104,078,272
1962-1963	91,211,881	9,431,610	4,765,713	5,112,352	110,521,556
1963-1964	100,498,113	8,211,300	7,505,252	5,558,072	121,772,737
1964-1965	106,949,183	8,472,949	5,169,775	6,374,835	126,966,742
1965-1966	116,554,246	8,665,569	5,637,565	12,283,353	143,140,733
1966-1967	127,266,493	8,099,451	7,016,303	14,262,566	156,644,813
1967-1968	145,567,838	9,104,529	7,378,103	13,009,603	175,060,072
1968-1969	163,420,438	9,089,051	31,287,182	14,843,236	218,639,907
1969-1970	165,790,859	10,741,807	44,365,835	14,073,352	234,971,854
1970-1971	194,867,738	2,279,376	44,084,299	21,692,388	274,135,004
1971-1972	203,014,558	13,196,885	47,249,702	25,258,568	290,126,808
1972-1973	221,783,513	14,081,061	48,000,504	26,175,518	310,040,595
1973-1974	237,568,704	(1)	69,288,398	25,732,052	332,589,114
1974-1975	252,780,256	(1)	84,547,021	29,885,938	367,213,125
1975-1976	275,005,553	18,516,277	80,359,218	31,259,422	405,140,470
1976-1977	318,225,027	21,234,125	96,035,461	32,613,936	468,108,936
1977-1978	375,411,906	(1)	91,413,736	36,006,955	513,891,131
1978-1979	402,744,062	(1)	95,110,390	39,612,292	548,674,934
1979-1980	425,705,535	(1)	108,019,797	43,272,591	541,484,773
1980-1981	436,721,538	(1)	155,192,226	49,459,927	656,431,521

(1) Included in total for Local.

Source: State Board of Education, Annual Report; Nebraska Department of Education, Statistics and Facts About Nebraska Schools, annual.

HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS

Nebraska		1980
Institution and Location of Campuses	Control of Institution	Fall Enrollment
<u>Public Institutions</u>		
University of Nebraska, Lincoln(1)	State Government	26,627
University of Nebraska at Omaha	State Government	13,707
Chadron State College, Chadron	State Government	1,887
Kearney State College, Kearney	State Government	6,948
Peru State College, Peru	State Government	912
Wayne State College, Wayne	State Government	2,312
<u>Private Institutions</u>		
Bellevue College, Bellevue	Private Corporation	2,380
College of St. Mary, Omaha	Roman Catholic Church	751
Concordia Teachers College, Seward	Lutheran Church, Missouri Synod	1,084
Creighton University, Omaha	Roman Catholic Church	5,614
Dana College, Blair	American Lutheran Church	560
Doane College, Crete	United Church of Christ	656
Grace College of the Bible, Omaha	Private Corporation	457
Hastings College, Hastings	Presbyterian Church	832
Midland Lutheran College, Fremont	Lutheran Church of America	861
Nebraska Christian College, Norfolk	Church of Christ	208
Nebraska Wesleyan University, Lincoln	Private Corporation	1,193
Platte Valley Bible College, Scottsbluff	Private Corporation	45
Union College, Lincoln	Seventh Day Adventist Church	888
York College, York(2)	Private Corporation	360

HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS (CONT'D)

Nebraska		1980
Institution and Location of Campuses	Control of Institution	Fall Enrollment
<u>Technical Community Colleges</u>		
Central Technical Community College Area Grand Island, Grand Island Education Center Hastings, Central Technical Community College Columbus, Platte Technical Community College	Local Government	5,203
Metropolitan Technical Community College Area Omaha: Ft. Omaha, South Omaha & Southwest campuses	Local Government	6,055
Mid-Plains Technical Community College Area North Platte, Mid-Plains Community College McCook, McCook Community College	Local Government	2,156
Northeast Technical Community College Area Norfolk, Northeast Technical Community College	Local Government	1,616
Southeastern Nebraska Technical Community College Area Fairbury/Beatrice campus Lincoln campus Milford campus	Local Government	5,209
Western Technical Community College Area Alliance, Alliance School of Nursing Scottsbluff, Nebraska Western College Sidney, Western Nebraska Technical College	Local Government	1,621

- (1) Includes students enrolled in the Medical Center, Omaha.
(2) Two-year college.

Source: Nebraska Coordinating Commission for Postsecondary Education, Fall Headcount Enrollments in Nebraska Institutions of Postsecondary Education, 1975 through 1980.

OPENING FALL ENROLLMENT
IN TRADITIONAL COLLEGES

Nebraska		Selected Years	
Year	Opening Fall Enrollment		
	Total	Men	Women
1960	33,384	20,205	13,179
1965	49,252	29,718	19,534
1970	66,915	39,991	26,924
1971	66,663	39,553	27,110
1972	66,054	37,572	28,482
1973	66,000	36,700	29,300
1974	67,297	38,504	28,788
1975	74,705	42,489	32,216
1976	77,200	42,400	34,800
1977	81,300	43,900	37,400
1978	81,691	42,337	39,354

Source: U.S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare, Office of Education, Opening Fall Enrollment in Higher Education, annual; U.S. Department of Education, Fall Enrollment in Higher Education, 1978, annual.

DEGREES EARNED BY LEVEL OF DEGREE

Nebraska		Selected Years		
Year	Bachelor's	First Professional	Master's	Doctor's
1960-61	3,992	304	572	77
1965-66	6,553	315	817	135
1970-71	9,876	402	1,374	223
1971-72	9,564	517	1,548	210
1972-73	9,496	583	1,547	230
1973-74	9,146	657	1,521	237
1974-75	8,227	716	1,499	216
1975-76	7,743	736	1,552	178
1976-77	7,500	716	1,761	218
1977-78	7,663	680	1,816	206
1978-79	7,392	809	1,730	200
1979-80	7,553	775	1,689	221

Source: U.S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare, Office of Education, Earned Degrees Conferred; Nebraska Coordinating Commission for Postsecondary Education, Degrees and Other Formal Awards Conferred by Nebraska Institutions of Post-secondary Education 1974-75 through 1979-80.

DEGREES EARNED, BY AREA OF STUDY AND LEVEL

Nebraska		Selected Years		
Area of Study	Bachelor's	First Professional	Master's	Doctor's
Agriculture & Natural Resources				
1977-1978	272	0	68	17
1978-1979	250	0	59	23
1979-1980	331	0	52	28
Architecture & Environmental Design				
1977-1978	69	0	23	0
1978-1979	82	0	19	0
1979-1980	67	0	16	0
Biological Sciences				
1977-1978	449	0	76	15
1978-1979	402	0	63	18
1979-1980	411	0	57	29
Business & Management				
1977-1978	1,419	0	148	19
1978-1979	1,433	0	143	19
1979-1980	1,440	0	156	17
Education				
1977-1978	1,668	0	895	81
1978-1979	1,768	0	804	65
1979-1980	1,747	0	808	78
Engineering				
1977-1978	244	0	67	3
1978-1979	237	0	49	6
1979-1980	286	0	53	2
Fine and Applied Arts				
1977-1978	276	0	85	9
1978-1979	235	0	75	4
1979-1980	281	0	73	2
Foreign Languages				
1977-1978	64	0	10	0
1978-1979	67	0	12	4
1979-1980	53	0	6	0
Health Professions				
1977-1978	856	373	50	0
1978-1979	707	488	74	0
1979-1980	625	463	64	0
Home Economics				
1977-1978	140	0	34	0
1978-1979	107	0	60	0
1979-1980	130	0	52	0
Law				
1977-1978	11	307	0	0
1978-1979	17	321	0	0
1979-1980	12	312	0	0

DEGREES EARNED, BY AREA OF STUDY AND LEVEL (CONT'D)

Nebraska		Selected Years		
Area of Study	Bachelor's	First Professional	Master's	Doctor's
Letters				
1977-1978	335	0	50	12
1978-1979	302	0	58	9
1979-1980	273	0	48	12
Library Science				
1977-1978	10	0	0	0
1978-1979	8	0	0	0
1979-1980	9	0	0	0
Mathematics				
1977-1978	117	0	23	3
1978-1979	92	0	19	2
1979-1980	88	0	23	5
Physical Sciences				
1977-1978	155	0	24	15
1978-1979	147	0	24	20
1979-1980	150	0	22	19
Psychology				
1977-1978	243	0	29	11
1978-1979	281	0	24	13
1979-1980	273	0	13	14
Public Affairs & Services				
1977-1978	282	0	93	0
1978-1979	280	0	102	0
1979-1980	310	0	106	0
Social Sciences				
1977-1978	640	0	93	20
1978-1979	542	0	75	17
1979-1980	539	0	68	15
Theology				
1977-1978	89	0	31	0
1978-1979	84	0	39	0
1979-1980	100	0	34	0
Miscellaneous Fields				
1977-1978	324	0	17	1
1978-1979	351	0	22	0
1979-1980	428	0	18	0

Source: Nebraska Coordinating Commission for Postsecondary Education, Degrees and Other Formal Awards Conferred by Nebraska Institutions of Postsecondary Education, 1974-75 through 1979-80.

EARNED DEGREES CONFERRED BY INSTITUTION

Nebraska		1979-80			
School	Bachelor's	First Professional	Master's	Doctor's	
Bellevue College	139	—	—	—	
Chadron State College	266	—	35	—	
College of St. Mary	54	—	—	—	
Concordia Teachers College	312	—	15	—	
Creighton University	697	362	121	3	
Dana College	91	—	—	—	
Doane College	122	—	—	—	
Grace Bible Institute	66	—	—	—	
Hastings College	120	—	—	—	
Kearney State College	787	—	176	—	
Midland Lutheran College	146	—	—	—	
Nebraska Christian College	16	—	—	—	
Nebraska Wesleyan University	185	—	—	—	
Peru State College	114	—	—	—	
Platte Valley Bible College	3	—	—	—	
Union College	108	—	—	—	
University of Nebraska, Total	3,973	413	1,272	218	
University of Nebraska, Lincoln	2,629	142	702	206	
University of Nebraska, Omaha	1,106	—	516	—	
University of Nebr-Medical Center	238	271	54	12	
Wayne State College	354	—	70	—	
Total	7,553	775	1,689	221	

Source: Nebraska Coordinating Commission for Postsecondary Education, Degrees and Other Formal Awards Conferred by Nebraska Institutions of Postsecondary Education, 1974-75 through 1979-80.

ENROLLMENT IN VOCATIONAL EDUCATION CLASSES BY TYPE OF PROGRAM

Nebraska					Selected Years			
Year	All Programs	Agri- culture	Distri- butive	Health	Home ⁽¹⁾ Economics	Office	Tech- nical	Trades & Industry
1960	30,137	7,438	1,566	332	14,672	—	425	5,704
1965	35,713	8,682	1,623	350	18,607	—	643	5,808
1966	50,358	8,006	6,150	996	20,601	4,028	613	9,964
1967	43,882	7,106	2,939	929	17,415	6,048	980	8,236
1968	47,163	6,762	4,270	1,517	18,044	6,086	970	9,193
1969	50,349	7,330	2,677	1,734	19,186	6,913	1,256	10,997
1970	60,583	8,013	2,578	2,425	24,010	7,140	1,174	14,654
1971	65,318	7,537	4,391	2,475	25,563	7,399	612	14,944
1972	73,857	8,223	4,833	4,842	26,336	8,678	990	18,355
1973	83,978	10,081	5,589	6,197	27,225	11,109	623	20,292
1974	96,963	10,464	5,478	7,714	30,387	14,105	1,224	22,421
1975	93,363	10,010	4,710	7,038	31,276	11,665	878	21,340
1976	96,955	10,145	4,311	4,812	37,534	12,526	1,232	21,002
1977	95,098	10,669	4,268	4,565	39,221	12,832	1,166	18,518
1978	100,504	11,473	5,254	4,782	43,340	14,683	1,001	16,027
1979	99,950	9,363	5,689	6,689	33,205	17,221	(2)	22,127
1980	102,380	10,523	5,823	11,824	28,089	18,409	(2)	20,179

(1) Includes Consumer & Homemaking and Occupational Home Economics.

(2) Included in Trades & Industry.

Source: U.S. Department of Health, Education, and Welfare, Office of Education, annual report, Vocational and Technical Education; 1967 and after- Nebraska Advisory Council for Vocational Education, Getting It All Together, annual.

ENROLLMENT IN VOCATIONAL EDUCATION PROGRAMS

Nebraska

1975-1980

Type of Program (1)	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980
Agriculture, Total	10,010	10,145	10,669	11,473	9,363	10,523
Secondary	8,314	8,200	8,462	8,625	7,534	8,041
Postsecondary	579	634	714	974	937	1,787
Adult	1,117	1,311	1,493	1,874	892	695
Distributive, Total	4,710	4,311	4,268	5,254	5,689	5,823
Secondary	3,514	3,261	2,993	3,414	3,420	3,235
Postsecondary	386	421	350	891	1,125	2,588
Adult	810	629	925	949	1,144	—
Health, Total	7,038	4,812	4,565	4,782	6,689	11,824
Secondary	519	501	414	480	523	540
Postsecondary	1,636	1,679	1,442	1,628	272	11,001
Adult	4,883	2,632	2,709	2,674	5,894	283
Consumer and Homemaking, Total	31,276	35,905	38,015	41,605	31,312	25,658
Secondary	25,892	28,054	27,556	32,384	23,103	22,032
Adult	5,384	7,851	10,459	9,221	8,209	3,622
Home Economics, Total	961	1,629	1,206	1,735	1,893	2,431
Secondary	149	437	170	51	247	369
Postsecondary	137	151	278	421	308	2,062
Adult	675	1,041	758	1,263	1,338	—

ENROLLMENT IN VOCATIONAL EDUCATION PROGRAMS (CONT'D)

Nebraska	1975-1980					
Type of Program (1)	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980
Office, Total	11,665	12,526	12,832	14,683	17,221	18,409
Secondary	6,803	6,892	5,804	6,425	6,768	8,319
Postsecondary	2,291	2,292	2,343	4,875	4,268	9,941
Adult	2,571	3,342	4,685	3,383	6,185	149
Trades and Industry, Total	22,218	22,234	17,065	17,028	22,127	20,179
Secondary	4,822	5,090	3,740	3,684	6,878	6,756
Postsecondary	5,212	5,203	6,212	7,051	7,140	12,981
Adult	12,184	11,941	7,113	6,293	8,109	442
Fire Service	(2)	(2)	2,619	1,740	3,475	3,927
Adult	(2)	(2)	2,619	1,740	3,475	3,927
TOTALS	93,363	96,955	100,504	98,472	99,950	102,380
Secondary	55,498	57,392	52,864	57,267	50,600	52,806
Postsecondary	10,241	10,799	15,840	16,882	14,050	40,360
Adult	27,624	28,764	27,397	24,323	35,200	9,214

(1) Secondary--Grades 9-12; Postsecondary--Grades 13-14.

(2) Included in Trades and Industry.

Source: Nebraska Advisory Council for Vocational Education, Getting It All Together, annual.

EXPENDITURES FOR VOCATIONAL
EDUCATION BY SOURCE OF FUNDS
(Thousands of Dollars)

Nebraska			Selected Years		
Fiscal	Total	Federal	State and Local		
Year			Total	State	Local
1960	1,992	586	1,406	245	1,160
1965	3,412	1,272	2,140	289	1,851
1966	4,390	1,944	2,446	495	1,950
1967	5,296	2,287	3,009	613	2,396
1968	5,453	2,253	3,200	431	2,769
1969	6,471	2,200	4,271	832	3,439
1970	7,471	2,221	5,250	NA	NA
1971	9,123	2,217	6,906	NA	NA
1972	14,164	3,726	10,438	3,857	6,581
1973	14,982	3,921	11,061	2,561	8,500
1974	16,125	4,220	11,905	324	11,580
1975	18,695	4,414	14,282	357	13,925
1976	18,736	4,173	14,563	378	14,185
1977	20,846	4,074	16,772	380	16,383
1978	23,687	3,825	19,863	485	19,378
1979	25,980	4,444	21,537	558	20,979
1980	38,066	4,927	33,138	15,289	17,848

NA -- Not Available.

Data may not add to totals because of rounding.

Source: U.S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare, Office of Education, Vocational and Technical Education, annual, and Nebraska Advisory Council for Vocational Education, Getting it all together, annual.

SECTION K

HEALTH & WELFARE

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HEALTH AND WELFARE

In 1982 there were 113 licensed hospitals in Nebraska containing over 12,167 beds. These hospitals are located in 71 of the State's 93 counties. Those counties without hospitals tend to be sparsely populated: eight have populations of less than 1,000, an additional five have less than 2,000 residents.

The leading cause of death in Nebraska in 1980 was heart disease. It caused almost twice the number of deaths as did the second leading cause, cancer. Together, heart disease and cancer caused over 58 percent of all deaths in the State during 1980.

Since 1960, welfare expenditures by Federal, State, and County governments have increased from less than \$20 million to almost \$235 million in 1981. The 1981 figure represents a 10 percent increase over expenditures for 1980 and 323 percent increase over 1970 expenditures. Maintenance payments are made to four special groups—the aged, the blind, the disabled, and dependent children. Medical assistance is also provided for these groups and for others who do not receive maintenance payments.

The statistics included in this section present information about hospital facilities in the State, leading causes of death, and the State's public assistance programs. The sources of these data are the Nebraska State Department of Health and the Nebraska Department of Public Welfare.

HOSPITALS AND FACILITIES BY COUNTY

Nebraska

1982

County	Hospitals	Beds	Bassinets	County	Hospitals	Beds	Bassinets
Adams	2	475	16	Keith	1	75	8
Antelope	2	77	12	Kimball	1	30	4
Boone	1	34	8	Knox	1	38	8
Box Butte	1	50	6	Lancaster	8	1,219	92
Boyd	1	29	2	Lincoln	1	124	21
Brown	1	25	4	Madison	3	386	24
Buffalo	1	177	20	Merrick	1	79	8
Burt	1	23	4	Morrill	1	20	3
Butler	1	35	8	Nance	2	44	9
Chase	1	26	5	Nemaha	1	44	8
Cherry	1	38	10	Nuckolls	1	58	8
Cheyenne	1	120	14	Otoe	2	111	17
Colfax	1	57	5	Pawnee	1	21	6
Cuming	1	52	10	Perkins	1	84	4
Custer	3	150	15	Phelps	1	59	7
Dawes	2	62	11	Pierce	2	66	14
Dawson	3	116	20	Platte	1	81	13
Dixon	1	22	6	Polk	1	36	3
Dodge	1	245	15	Red Willow	1	56	6
Douglas	13	4,494	214	Richardson	2	94	14
Dundy	1	30	4	Rock	1	32	5
Fillmore	1	39	8	Saline	2	79	12
Franklin	1	22	4	Sarpy	1	208	18
Furnas	2	87	12	Saunders	1	30	5
Gage	3	863	18	Scotts Bluff	2	265	20
Garden	1	65	3	Seward	1	55	6
Garfield	1	88	6	Sheridan	2	94	10
Hall	2	243	27	Sherman	1	26	2
Hamilton	1	85	8	Thayer	1	22	6
Harlan	1	25	4	Thurston	2	88	14
Holt	2	62	18	Valley	1	96	8
Hooker	1	39	6	Washington	1	46	8
Howard	1	36	7	Wayne	1	30	6
Jefferson	1	97	10	Webster	1	45	8
Johnson	1	30	8	York	2	128	14
Kearney	1	80	8	NEBRASKA	113	12,167	975

Note: There are no hospital facilities in the following counties: Arthur, Banner, Blaine, Cass, Cedar, Clay, Dakota, Deuel, Frontier, Gosper, Grant, Greeley, Hayes, Hitchcock, Keya Paha, Logan, Loup, McPherson, Sioux, Stanton, Thomas, or Wheeler.

Source: Nebraska State Department of Health, Roster of Hospitals Licensed as of January 1, 1982.

TOTAL WELFARE EXPENDITURES BY SOURCE OF FUNDS
(Thousands of Dollars)

Nebraska		Selected Years	
Fiscal	Welfare Funds		
Year	Total	State & County	Federal
1940	\$ 8,000	\$ 4,294	\$ 3,705
1945	10,122	5,330	4,793
1950	18,515	8,807	9,708
1955	15,442	6,313	9,129
1960	19,668	6,285	13,383
1961	20,898	6,498	14,401
1962	21,251	7,105	14,146
1963	21,486	7,026	14,460
1964	22,805	7,631	15,174
1965	26,145	9,500	16,644
1966	30,968	10,727	20,241
1967	35,542	10,026	25,516
1968	42,489	13,385	29,104
1969	47,685	14,903	32,782
1970	55,667	18,565	37,102
1971	72,424	24,080	48,344
1972	89,349	34,087	55,262
1973	98,439	38,024	60,415
1974	103,201	42,805	60,396
1975	122,206	50,500	71,700
1976	129,626	52,507	77,119
1977	140,384	60,476	79,908
1978	170,236	NA	NA
1979	191,836	NA	NA
1980	213,426	89,713	123,713
1981	235,622	93,279	142,343

NA - Not Available

Source: Nebraska Department of Public Welfare, Annual Report.

LEADING CAUSES OF DEATH

Nebraska			Selected Years			
Rank	1960		1970		1980	
	Cause of Death	Percent	Cause of Death	Percent	Cause of Death	Percent
1	Heart Disease	38.4	Heart Disease	38.5	Heart Disease	38.0
2	Cancer	15.9	Cancer	17.0	Cancer	20.4
3	Vascular Lesions	13.4	Cerebrovascular Disease	9.5	Cerebrovascular Disease	10.0
4	Accidents	5.3	Accidents	6.4	Accidents	5.5
5	Diseases of Early Infancy	3.4	Pneumonia	2.9	Pneumonia	2.9
6	Pneumonia	2.9	Cerebral Hemorrhage	2.8	Arteriosclerosis	2.2
7	Arteriosclerosis	2.4	Arteriosclerosis	2.3	Chronic Lung Disease	1.9
8	Diabetes Mellitus	2.0	Diseases of Early Infancy	2.0	Diabetes Mellitus	1.4
9	Congenital Malformations	1.3	Diabetes Mellitus	1.9	Suicide	1.1
10	Influenza	1.1	Emphysema	1.9	Certain Perinatal Conditions	1.0
11	All Other Causes	13.6	All Other Causes	14.8	All Other Causes	15.4

Source: Nebraska State Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, Statistical Report, annual.

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS, BY COUNTY

Nebraska					F.Y. 1981
County	Aged	Blind & Disabled	ADC	Medical Assistance	Total Assistance
Adams	\$51,935	\$105,042	\$652,361	\$1,814,822	\$2,624,160
Antelope	2,786	15,110	57,293	747,961	823,150
Arthur	0	0	0	12,787	12,787
Banner	16	1,436	3,229	18,344	23,025
Blaine	393	1,002	14,910	53,360	69,665
Boone	3,114	11,874	103,066	600,057	718,111
Box Butte	9,440	14,620	208,087	623,140	855,287
Boyd	3,926	5,951	30,976	262,243	303,096
Brown	3,110	4,664	16,017	225,032	248,823
Buffalo	24,610	66,652	589,792	1,838,689	2,519,743
Burt	3,692	17,343	150,315	653,399	824,749
Butler	12,872	9,209	64,127	512,511	598,719
Cass	17,917	18,031	327,502	1,068,769	1,432,219
Cedar	5,355	14,129	65,277	752,566	837,327
Chase	4,820	10,006	57,580	288,122	360,528
Cherry	3,184	10,621	113,900	326,966	454,671
Cheyenne	6,104	24,996	116,637	530,387	678,124
Clay	5,568	14,314	178,146	775,594	973,622
Colfax	12,082	10,077	100,028	607,614	729,801
Cuming	4,024	22,125	61,244	581,660	669,053
Custer	8,268	30,946	183,767	1,185,455	1,408,436
Dakota	15,894	28,844	335,941	1,028,075	1,408,754
Dawes	4,057	12,305	145,974	451,323	613,659

SECTION L

GOVERNMENT

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GOVERNMENT

As Nebraska's economy has grown, so has the ability to support a greater number of government services. In 1980, the general revenue available to State and local governments in Nebraska totaled \$ 2.62 billion. Education represents the largest expenditure item for both State and local budgets, totaling 19.4 percent of State government spending in 1980 and 25.5 percent of local government spending in that year. Next largest were expenditures on highways, which were 13.8 percent of State spending and 6.1 percent of local spending.

The largest source of State government general revenue is the sales and gross receipts tax, which yielded \$447 million, or 30 percent of the total for 1978. Individual income tax, the second largest source, accounted for \$234 million in revenues or 15.7 percent of the total.

Local government subdivisions are most dependent on property taxes. In 1981, the latest year for which data is available, \$626.5 million or 40.5 percent of all revenues came from this source.

1980 per capita expenditures by State government in Nebraska were \$853.85 which was 85 percent of the \$1,010.43 average for all fifty states.

Statistics in this section present information describing revenues and expenditures of State government, county totals for property and income taxes paid, and voter registration in the State and its counties. The chief sources of these data are the U.S. Bureau of the Census, the Office of the Nebraska Secretary of State, and the Nebraska Department of Revenue.

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS, BY COUNTY (CONT'D)

Nebraska					F.Y. 1981
County	Aged	Blind & Disabled	ADC	Medical Assistance	Total Assistance
Dawson	\$ 21,862	\$ 49,827	\$ 394,422	\$ 1,273,816	1,739,927
Deuel	3,142	2,382	72,219	116,774	194,517
Dixon	10,141	15,335	124,577	499,050	649,103
Dodge	26,701	35,350	594,279	1,494,146	2,150,476
Douglas	332,660	969,759	23,300,301	39,871,722	64,474,442
Dundy	1,993	1,597	35,447	243,774	282,811
Fillmore	4,199	10,549	83,947	684,339	783,034
Franklin	2,359	6,141	82,622	397,521	488,643
Frontier	4,229	1,876	29,292	198,355	233,752
Furnas	8,135	13,031	46,333	629,922	697,421
Gage	25,769	52,739	585,570	1,963,139	2,627,217
Garden	1,651	12,758	29,842	220,275	264,526
Garfield	2,089	4,345	23,704	141,212	171,350
Gosper	1,179	4,564	19,624	160,800	186,167
Grant	0	813	20,980	16,218	38,011
Greeley	1,383	7,772	28,609	295,944	333,708
Hall	33,672	131,121	1,278,900	2,598,249	4,041,942
Hamilton	14,241	28,580	163,610	611,703	818,134
Harlan	2,882	10,157	78,917	328,422	420,378
Hayes	288	4,527	5,694	58,311	68,820
Hitchcock	451	10,168	63,620	304,200	378,439
Holt	7,105	22,251	170,071	817,319	1,016,746
Hooker	2,242	1,059	17,208	38,780	59,289

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS, BY COUNTY (CONT'D)

Nebraska					F.Y. 1981
County	Aged	Blind & Disabled	ADC	Medical Assistance	Total Assistance
Howard	\$ 6,399	\$ 11,672	\$ 98,785	\$ 456,179	\$ 573,035
Jefferson	12,576	18,837	176,439	845,929	1,053,781
Johnson	880	8,594	53,694	322,292	385,460
Kearney	7,494	15,160	73,685	468,895	565,234
Keith	6,875	13,877	161,531	475,306	657,589
Keya Paha	212	762	10,780	22,031	33,785
Kimball	2,842	11,811	103,261	290,426	408,340
Knox	9,326	25,430	192,249	739,429	966,434
Lancaster	96,474	366,892	5,577,011	10,016,310	16,056,687
Lincoln	34,239	92,685	839,688	1,903,072	2,869,684
Logan	794	1,401	19,170	60,366	81,731
Loup	3,250	4,075	11,297	43,596	62,218
Madison	18,403	56,488	502,995	1,741,685	2,319,571
McPherson	754	0	9,061	8,808	18,623
Merrick	10,599	24,673	184,239	562,506	782,017
Morrill	6,586	11,780	164,118	471,770	654,254
Nance	6,215	11,229	45,853	377,933	441,230
Nemaha	5,916	10,282	195,661	766,823	978,682
Nuckolls	10,884	14,969	82,192	612,364	720,409
Otoe	10,095	30,007	209,277	1,366,673	1,616,052
Pawnee	994	7,502	58,306	387,766	454,568
Perkins	3,046	1,864	40,327	159,601	204,838
Phelps	12,447	18,875	150,680	595,719	777,721

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS, BY COUNTY (CONT'D)

Nebraska					F.Y. 1981
County	Aged	Blind & Disabled	ADC	Medical Assistance	Total Assistance
Pierce	\$ 5,885	\$ 13,505	\$ 30,510	\$ 535,004	\$ 584,904
Platte	7,720	30,277	230,805	1,116,932	1,385,734
Polk	3,190	11,767	52,258	545,664	612,879
Red Willow	3,956	13,225	113,463	450,805	581,449
Richardson	20,645	19,889	295,079	1,133,251	1,468,864
Rock	726	2,368	7,032	89,340	99,466
Saline	5,159	10,135	102,227	832,262	949,783
Sarpy	18,708	49,105	1,450,089	2,014,190	3,532,092
Saunders	9,818	30,202	224,722	997,392	1,262,134
Scotts Bluff	55,947	108,005	1,608,594	2,302,156	4,074,702
Seward	3,893	15,059	213,743	886,800	1,119,495
Sheridan	4,377	14,012	171,196	564,989	754,574
Sherman	3,226	7,706	42,414	348,294	401,640
Sioux	673	3,632	18,846	77,052	100,203
Stanton	1,052	4,086	20,355	333,729	359,222
Thayer	7,302	12,548	134,171	935,994	1,090,015
Thomas	692	0	6,020	73,319	80,031
Thurston	15,278	19,715	1,023,420	329,008	1,387,421
Valley	18,221	13,377	63,885	188,439	283,922
Washington	7,006	19,720	252,058	732,765	1,011,549
Wayne	3,160	9,140	77,310	372,683	462,293
Webster	6,851	15,440	77,142	494,996	594,429
Wheeler	1,106	4,046	14,172	40,628	59,952
York	7,647	11,617	216,459	747,374	983,097
Unallocated(1)	0	0	952,148	12,568,097	13,520,244

(1) Includes State wards and cases in which there was no legal settlement.

Source: Nebraska Department of Public Welfare, Annual Report, 1981.

INCOME MAINTENANCE (MONTHLY CASES)
BY COUNTY

Nebraska				F.Y. 1981			
County	Income Maintenance			County	Income Maintenance		
	Aged	Blind & Disabled	ADC		Aged	Blind & Disabled	ADC
Adams	76	110	208	Douglas	587	1,282	6,609
Antelope	8	15	19	Dundy	3	3	10
Arthur	0	0	0	Fillmore	13	12	27
Banner	1	1	1	Franklin	7	9	28
Blaine	1	1	4	Frontier	8	1	8
Boone	10	15	29	Furnas	11	16	16
Box Butte	25	23	66	Gage	43	79	170
Boyd	12	7	9	Garden	3	13	11
Brown	10	5	6	Garfield	2	6	8
Buffalo	53	81	168	Gosper	1	3	5
Burt	10	22	45	Grant	0	1	7
Butler	17	10	17	Greeley	4	8	11
Cass	28	27	101	Hall	69	150	377
Cedar	13	22	21	Hamilton	17	25	49
Chase	9	14	18	Harlan	4	10	25
Cherry	10	15	33	Hayes	0	4	2
Cheyenne	12	36	36	Hitchcock	3	14	19
Clay	14	18	54	Holt	16	27	55
Colfax	22	13	31	Hooker	4	1	5
Cuming	13	30	18	Howard	11	18	30
Custer	28	40	61	Jefferson	19	23	56
Dakota	33	39	98	Johnson	6	11	15
Dawes	11	17	51	Kearney	11	18	24
Dawson	51	62	116	Keith	13	18	45
Deuel	4	4	22	Keya Paha	1	0	2
Dixon	16	17	33	Kimball	7	18	31
Dodge	49	53	174	Knox	27	27	60

INCOME MAINTENANCE (MONTHLY CASES)
BY COUNTY (CONT'D)

Nebraska				F.Y. 1981			
County	Income Maintenance			County	Income Maintenance		
	Aged	Blind & Disabled	ADC		Aged	Blind & Disabled	ADC
Lancaster	189	473	1,605	Rock	2	2	3
Lincoln	76	106	262	Saline	15	17	33
Logan	1	1	5	Sarpy	27	53	448
Loup	6	3	3	Saunders	18	33	67
Madison	35	65	151	Scotts Bluff	108	148	462
McPherson	1	0	3	Seward	11	19	60
Merrick	14	31	52	Sheridan	12	16	56
Morrill	13	16	47	Sherman	8	8	14
Nance	9	16	13	Sioux	1	2	5
Nemaha	14	16	59	Stanton	1	5	8
Nuckolls	18	19	26	Thayer	11	14	40
Otoe	20	33	75	Thomas	2	0	2
Pawnee	7	9	18	Thurston	26	22	296
Perkins	4	1	12	Valley	27	15	24
Phelps	21	21	42	Washington	10	30	76
Pierce	14	13	11	Wayne	7	9	24
Platte	19	38	65	Webster	16	17	23
Polk	9	17	14	Wheeler	1	3	4
Red Willow	17	16	32	York	12	17	63
Richardson	30	29	93	Unspecified	0	0	254
				Total	2,300	3,887	13,731

Note: Number of cases does not reflect number of persons. One case may include a family or a recipient and any essential persons.

Source: Nebraska Department of Public Welfare, Annual Report, 1981.

STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT
REVENUE BY SOURCE AND EXPENDITURE BY FUNCTION
(Million Dollars)

Nebraska			F.Y. 1980
Item	State Government	Local Government	Total Nebraska
TOTAL GENERAL REVENUE ⁽¹⁾	\$1,419.5	\$1,546.4	\$2,626.7
Intergovernmental Revenue			
From Federal Government	361.2	110.8	472.0
Other (Local-State, etc.)	0	311.0	—
Revenue From Own Sources	1,030.1	1,124.6	2,154.7
Total Taxes	816.8	695.5	1,512.3
Property Taxes	2.5	626.5	629.0
Other Taxes	814.3	69.0	883.3
Charges & Misc. Revenue	213.3	429.1	642.4
TOTAL GENERAL EXPENDITURE	1,392.2	2,756.0	3,716.7
Education, Total	270.4	702.6	972.9
Local Schools	—	651.6	651.6
Higher Education	236.1	51.0	287.1
Other Education	34.3	—	34.3
Highways	191.7	168.1	359.7
Public Welfare	173.3	17.7	191.0
Health & Hospitals	92.5	132.1	224.6
Police Protection	14.5	56.5	71.0
Fire Protection	—	31.7	31.7
Sewerage & Sanitation	—	75.3	75.3
Nat. Resources, Parks & Recreation	61.0	52.5	113.6
General Control ⁽²⁾	16.2	36.3	52.4
Interest on Debt	2.4	49.7	52.1
Other Expenditure	20.1	69.0	89.1

(1) State and local do not add to Total because of intergovernmental transfers.

(2) Includes expenditures for courts, office of the chief executive, and agencies concerned with law, recording, planning and zoning, and the like.

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, Governmental Finances in 1979-1980, annual.

AGGREGATE REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE OF STATE GOVERNMENT
(Thousands of Dollars)

Nebraska					Selected Years			
Year	Revenue				Expenditures			
	Total	General	Insurance Trust	Borrowing	Total	General	Insurance Trust	Debt Redemption
1955	\$ 118,522	\$ 113,051	\$ 5,471	\$ 325	\$ 113,679	\$ 108,015	\$ 5,664	\$ 147
1960	182,125	172,052	10,073	3,892	176,582	168,232	8,350	437
1965	242,289	229,440	12,858	3,545	237,538	227,002	10,536	190
1966	274,836	262,528	12,308	19,815	273,357	263,476	9,881	734
1967	314,995	301,755	13,240	0	317,916	309,643	8,273	589
1968	381,355	367,079	14,267	270	345,570	325,314	20,256	875
1969	424,457	408,892	15,565	0	395,904	386,413	9,491	1,069
1970	486,473	470,748	15,725	20,000	452,301	441,364	10,937	1,120
1971	550,416	530,776	19,640	0	536,430	519,028	17,402	2,550
1972	602,396	579,292	23,104	14,690	575,479	558,359	17,120	2,490
1973	689,545	659,256	30,289	0	616,116	595,575	20,541	4,076
1974	754,832	721,036	33,796	0	698,260	674,117	24,143	5,722
1975	826,055	790,594	35,170	0	866,032	818,798	47,234	4,562
1976	1,006,610	931,060	75,550	0	983,070	903,548	79,552	4,622
1977	1,119,368	1,044,090	75,278	0	1,042,162	998,557	43,605	4,754
1978	1,231,625	1,167,491	64,134	0	1,144,827	1,104,481	40,346	3,283
1979	1,333,812	1,264,130	69,682	205	1,249,578	1,215,169	34,409	3,547
1980	1,505,994	1,419,516	86,478	150,000	1,392,220	1,340,540	51,680	3,331

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, State Government Finances, annual.

REVENUE OF STATE GOVERNMENT
(Thousands of Dollars)

Nebraska	Selected Years				
Type	1960	1965	1970	1975	1980
TOTAL REVENUE	182,125	242,298	486,473	826,055	1,505,994
Total General Revenue	172,052	229,440	470,748	790,594	1,419,516
Tax Revenue	91,058	115,222	261,307	424,805	816,767
Sales and Gross Receipts Tax	50,679	65,690	171,008	272,428	446,856
License Taxes	11,283	13,262	33,185	44,575	67,038
Individual Income Tax	—	—	44,444	78,435	235,821
Corporation Net Income Tax	—	—	8,550	25,858	57,579
Property Tax	27,173	35,022	2,006	143	2,502
Death and Gift Tax	374	219	816	1,592	2,277
Severance Tax	1,354	1,029	766	958	2,948
Document & Stock Transfer Tax	—	—	532	815	1,746
Intergovernmental Revenue	59,169	83,528	135,239	245,889	389,420
From Federal Government	50,033	70,873	113,629	228,118	361,175
From Local Governments	9,136	12,655	21,610	17,771	28,245
Charges and Misc. General Revenue	21,825	30,690	74,202	119,900	213,329
Insurance Trust Revenue	10,073	12,858	15,725	35,461	86,478
Employee Retirement	1,736	2,096	6,069	13,435	36,192
Earning on Investments	503	1,020	581	5,117	24,777
Unemployment Compensation	7,827	9,736	9,641	21,996	50,130
Workmen's Compensation	7	6	15	30	156

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, State Government Finances, annual.

EXPENDITURE OF STATE GOVERNMENT
(Thousands of Dollars)

Nebraska		Selected Years				
Type	1960	1965	1970	1975	1980	
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$176,582	\$237,538	\$452,301	\$866,032	\$1,392,220	
By Character						
Current Operation	69,647	99,954	184,746	413,739	656,013	
Capital Outlay	54,842	72,069	95,202	140,382	217,437	
Assistance and Subsidies	1,045	1,030	8,951	38,067	52,641	
Interest on Debt	324	1,322	1,860	3,007	2,368	
Insurance Benefits and Repayments	8,350	10,536	10,937	47,234	51,680	
Intergovernmental Expenditures	42,374	52,627	150,605	223,603	412,081	
Personal Services (Salaries)	51,298	68,988	131,693	222,418	355,515	
By Type						
General Expenditure	168,232	227,002	441,364	818,798	1,340,540	
Education	34,537	54,609	174,054	302,321	416,260	
Highways	72,679	88,429	103,733	153,530	264,553	
Public Welfare	20,801	28,085	57,648	121,423	191,036	
Hospitals	14,387	16,481	30,931	49,741	80,907	
Health	1,127	1,697	3,421	16,423	37,018	
Natural Resources	9,279	15,348	24,275	38,963	54,027	
Correction	3,404	3,618	5,208	12,473	33,281	
Police Protection	1,871	2,367	4,588	8,811	14,487	
Employment Security Administration	1,419	2,407	4,384	10,925	14,435	
Financial Administration	NA	1,424	5,103	9,636	15,864	
General Control	2,387	2,671	3,421	10,849	17,042	
Airports	973	889	930	6,959	9,249	
Protective Inspection and Regul. n.e.c.	2,197	2,490	4,054	8,671	11,665	
General Public Buildings	463	616	500	1,173	3,627	
Veterans Services	67	78	126	307	347	
Libraries	176	325	504	1,653	2,437	
Interest on General Debt	324	1,322	1,860	3,007	2,368	
General Expenditure n.e.c.	724	1,513	11,419	52,826	152,095	
Insurance Trust Expenditure	8,350	10,536	10,937	47,234	51,680	
Employee Retirement	8,350	2,293	3,632	9,998	11,422	
Unemployment Compensation	6,742	8,236	7,297	37,213	40,093	
Workmen's Compensation	5	7	8	23	165	

n.e.c.-- not elsewhere classified

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, State Government Finances, annual.

PER CAPITA AMOUNTS OF SELECTED STATE GOVERNMENT FINANCE ITEMS

Item	1970		1975		Selected Years 1980	
	National	Nebraska	National	Nebraska	National	Nebraska
	Average		Average		Average	
GENERAL REVENUE						
Total General Revenue	\$384.11	\$317.26	\$633.75	\$511.38	\$1,034.20	\$904.15
All Taxes	236.93	176.11	377.37	274.78	606.88	520.23
Sales and Gross Receipts Taxes						
Total	134.63	115.25	204.07	176.21	300.42	284.62
General	70.04	50.47	116.66	91.86	191.12	176.44
Motor Fuels	31.04	45.68	38.87	52.48	43.04	66.45
Alcoholic Beverages	7.02	4.31	9.24	6.29	10.97	7.91
Tobacco Products	11.40	8.06	15.47	13.95	16.55	14.32
Motor Vehicle Licenses	13.48	16.20	17.21	20.98	21.85	27.06
Individual Income	45.36	55.98	88.60	50.73	164.21	150.20
Corporate Income	18.47	13.96	31.27	16.73	58.98	36.67
Property	5.39	1.35	6.83	0.09	12.80	1.59
Death and Gift	4.92	.55	6.68	1.03	9.01	1.45
Intergovernmental from Federal Govern.(1)	95.11	76.58	170.18	147.55	274.02	248.04
Education	22.50	16.75	37.10	31.80	56.52	45.49
Highways	21.89	25.20	28.51	29.05	39.23	46.62
Public Welfare	38.62	24.97	67.08	46.01	109.27	55.50
General Revenue Sharing	0	0	9.72	9.14	10.08	9.57
Employment Security Administration	3.80	2.78	7.16	6.79	9.08	9.48
Intergovernmental from Local Gov.	4.92	14.56	7.91	11.49	10.78	17.99
Total Charges and Misc. Items(1)	47.15	50.01	78.29	77.55	142.52	135.29

PER CAPITA AMOUNTS OF SELECTED STATE GOVERNMENT FINANCE ITEMS (CONT'D)

Nebraska		Selected Years				
Item	1970		1975		1980	
	National Average	Nebraska	National Average	Nebraska	National Average	Nebraska
GENERAL EXPENDITURE						
Total General Expenditure(1)	\$383.55	\$297.46	\$651.13	\$529.62	\$1,010.43	\$853.85
Total Direct Expenditure	240.82	195.96	406.42	384.99	636.30	591.38
Other than Capital Outlay	175.17	131.80	324.96	294.19	536.25	452.88
Capital Outlay	65.65	64.16	81.46	90.80	100.06	138.49
Education, total	152.47	117.30	254.29	195.55	389.34	265.13
Intergovernmental Expenditure	84.40	40.46	146.47	75.94	233.27	92.93
Direct Expenditure for Education	68.07	76.84	107.82	119.61	156.07	172.21
State Institutions of Higher Educ.	54.39	66.20	83.31	104.37	123.64	150.39
Highways, Total	66.60	69.91	82.31	99.31	110.88	168.51
Public Welfare, Total	65.24	38.85	120.33	78.54	195.78	121.68
Hospitals	20.56	20.85	33.40	32.17	50.34	51.53
Health	5.89	2.31	14.42	10.62	28.71	23.58
Corrections	5.46	3.51	10.37	8.07	19.70	21.20
Natural Resources	10.98	16.36	16.73	25.20	19.24	34.41
Employment Security Administration	3.79	2.95	7.11	7.07	8.86	9.19
Financial Administration	5.10	3.44	8.44	6.23	13.42	10.10
General Control	3.54	2.31	7.04	7.02	14.31	10.85
Interest on General Debt	7.41	1.25	15.40	1.95	29.94	1.51
Personal Services (Salaries)	87.86	88.75	140.41	143.87	216.03	226.44

COUNTY VOTER REGISTRATION BY PARTY

Nebraska					1980
County	Vote 1980	Registered Voters	Republican	Democrat	Independ- dent
Adams	13,383	18,046	8,469	3,361	879
Antelope	4,112	5,530	3,192	659	150
Arthur	326	361	242	55	9
Banner	539	643	481	33	14
Blaine	454	564	361	63	15
Boone	3,667	5,167	2,598	769	176
Box Butte	5,619	7,895	3,898	1,206	307
Boyd	1,787	2,255	1,261	376	62
Brown	2,121	2,825	1,641	341	105
Buffalo	14,371	18,383	9,764	3,162	1,028
Burt	3,956	5,507	2,806	814	232
Butler	4,082	6,209	2,596	1,112	159
Cass	7,935	11,234	5,180	2,007	487
Cedar	4,909	7,295	3,257	1,265	273
Chase	2,126	2,863	1,593	324	91
Cherry	3,188	4,477	2,517	489	105
Cheyenne	4,263	5,739	3,073	776	196
Clay	3,899	5,044	2,739	840	190
Colfax	4,526	5,967	3,259	892	230
Cuming	5,164	7,112	3,999	803	266
Custer	6,504	8,807	4,562	1,011	285
Dakota	5,597	8,133	3,165	1,928	317
Dawes	4,372	5,644	3,281	703	228
Dawson	8,854	13,225	6,687	1,462	357
Deuel	1,237	1,608	943	192	63
Dixon	3,438	4,366	2,328	822	200
Dodge	14,944	18,964	9,514	3,556	988
Douglas	165,041	192,823	96,741	51,504	13,198
Dundy	1,438	1,846	1,135	192	55
Fillmore	3,796	4,993	2,435	1,025	221
Franklin	2,308	3,002	1,675	441	109
Frontier	1,724	2,309	1,345	259	84
Furnas	3,225	4,578	2,483	536	113

COUNTY VOTER REGISTRATION BY PARTY (CONT'D)

Nebraska					1980
County	Vote 1980	Registered Voters	Republican	Democrat	Independ- dent
Gage	9,647	14,315	6,072	2,258	722
Garden	1,599	1,948	1,297	202	63
Garfield	1,221	1,502	811	238	42
Gosper	1,046	1,377	783	181	47
Grant	472	600	373	76	13
Greeley	1,646	2,401	1,028	495	78
Hall	18,152	23,328	12,083	4,391	981
Hamilton	4,336	5,670	3,199	777	245
Harlan	2,369	3,011	1,690	486	109
Hayes	740	1,060	617	82	21
Hitchcock	1,974	2,550	1,471	328	115
Holt	5,843	7,760	4,488	1,016	243
Hooker	478	662	386	63	18
Howard	3,030	3,986	1,969	788	170
Jefferson	4,628	6,640	3,090	1,125	297
Johnson	2,587	3,705	1,716	623	180
Kearney	3,564	4,863	2,510	726	227
Keith	4,432	6,121	3,373	710	199
Keya Paha	687	867	524	130	27
Kimball	2,160	2,707	1,615	385	97
Knox	4,880	6,425	3,404	1,057	245
Lancaster	77,392	106,876	38,630	27,040	9,221
Lincoln	14,988	20,483	9,631	3,762	841
Logan	541	667	442	71	17
Loup	477	634	368	74	21
McPherson	346	427	285	49	5
Madison	12,681	17,938	9,715	1,924	552
Merrick	3,732	5,114	2,710	712	212
Morrill	2,588	3,630	1,887	512	96
Nance	2,151	2,980	1,439	561	100
Nemaha	3,951	5,359	2,693	929	221
Nuckolls	3,319	4,774	2,180	1,471	391
Otoe	6,616	8,875	4,611	431	122

COUNTY VOTER REGISTRATION BY PARTY (CONT'D)

Nebraska				1980	
County	Vote 1980	Registered Voters	Republican	Democrat	Independ- dent
Pawnee	2,020	2,766	1,418	431	122
Perkins	1,781	2,233	1,338	313	81
Phelps	4,588	6,346	3,465	734	192
Pierce	3,692	4,741	2,935	517	155
Platte	12,094	15,869	8,781	2,385	546
Polk	2,967	3,944	2,206	538	149
Red Willow	5,291	7,576	4,019	892	254
Richardson	5,441	8,085	3,634	1,350	264
Rock	1,099	1,376	855	145	39
Saline	5,530	8,743	2,934	1,908	480
Sarpy	23,305	33,629	15,523	5,678	1,685
Saunders	8,099	10,968	5,222	2,034	516
Scotts Bluff	13,560	16,880	9,485	2,851	677
Seward	6,062	8,017	3,525	1,799	533
Sheridan	3,301	4,605	2,747	369	121
Sherman	2,007	2,526	1,253	576	116
Sioux	932	1,347	759	120	32
Stanton	2,483	3,575	1,942	361	118
Thayer	3,706	4,886	2,514	925	178
Thomas	512	615	306	65	26
Thurston	2,396	3,607	1,454	724	140
Valley	2,983	3,823	2,100	654	124
Washington	6,598	8,749	4,560	1,445	356
Wayne	3,968	5,357	2,844	733	300
Webster	2,427	3,392	1,676	547	138
Wheeler	506	651	371	93	22
York	6,755	9,207	5,065	1,118	323
Total	651,281	856,182	419,214	166,424	44,854

Note: There were also 214 persons registered as Libertarian, and 9,041 votes for Libertarian candidates.

Source: Nebraska Secretary of State, Official Report of the Board of State Canvassers of the State; General Election, November, 1980.

POPULAR VOTES CAST FOR PRESIDENTS

Nebraska		1920-1980	
Year	Total	Republican	Democrat
	Votes Cast		
1920	390,833	247,789	119,608
1924	471,600	218,585	137,289
1928	554,762	345,745	197,959
1932	576,946	201,177	359,082
1936	617,066	248,731	347,454
1940	623,781	352,201	263,677
1944	568,464	329,880	233,246
1948	497,084	264,774	224,165
1952	616,236	421,603	188,057
1956	584,786	378,108	199,029
1960	619,399	380,553	232,542
1964	592,673	276,847	307,307
1968	540,176	321,163	170,784
1972	591,616	406,215	169,955
1976	623,764	359,219	233,287
1980	651,281	419,214	166,424

Source: Nebraska Secretary of State, Official Report of the Board of State Canvassers, biennial.

PER CAPITA AMOUNTS OF SELECTED STATE GOVERNMENT FINANCE ITEMS (CONT'D)

Nebraska		Selected Years				
Item	1970		1975		1980	
	National Average	Nebraska	National Average	Nebraska	National Average	Nebraska
OTHER FINANCIAL ITEMS						
Gross Debt at End of Fiscal Year	\$207.52	\$ 49.56	\$339.57	\$ 44.42	\$ 353.35	\$126.97
Long Term	192.18	49.56	318.01	44.42	530.49	126.97
Cash and Security Holdings						
Total at End of Fiscal Year	412.57	218.68	660.88	234.13	1,208.89	545.49
Insurance Trust Systems, Total(1)	265.22	63.73	402.52	82.19	737.85	191.40
Employee Retirement	197.59	26.40	350.52	55.43	640.56	139.27
Unemployment Compensation	60.45	37.31	32.26	26.47	52.88	51.33
Other than Insurance Trust Systems	147.35	154.95	258.36	151.94	471.03	354.09

(1) Includes amounts for categories not shown separately.

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, State Government Finances, annual.

PROPERTY TAX AND NEBRASKA INDIVIDUAL INCOME TAX
BY COUNTY

Nebraska			1980		
County	Nebraska Individual Income Tax(1)	Total Property Tax Levied	County	Nebraska Individual Income Tax(1)	Total Property Tax Levied
Adams	\$4,926,866	\$13,471,012	Deuel	\$ 395,310	\$ 1,645,156
Antelope	837,609	4,106,287	Dixon	647,345	3,741,897
Arthur	36,341	416,747	Dodge	6,133,389	15,447,388
Banner	82,612	873,720	Douglas	78,437,066	172,919,562
Blaine	120,241	604,095	Dundy	394,886	2,033,677
Boone	856,139	3,769,071	Fillmore	1,350,532	5,046,951
Box Butte	2,537,202	5,255,887	Franklin	609,076	2,865,637
Boyd	314,620	1,439,801	Frontier	428,566	3,158,109
Brown	455,508	2,391,584	Furnas	862,554	3,178,506
Buffalo	4,949,783	13,485,480	Gage	3,192,967	11,140,207
Burt	1,158,469	5,426,761	Garden	376,996	2,195,359
Butler	1,203,976	4,808,839	Garfield	272,964	1,212,043
Cass	2,666,325	9,651,101	Gosper	334,159	1,897,001
Cedar	1,128,554	4,854,771	Grant	220,968	630,286
Chase	759,709	3,085,471	Greeley	347,879	1,649,090
Cherry	855,747	4,935,575	Hall	7,644,647	19,568,617
Cheyenne	1,644,365	5,500,163	Hamilton	2,166,977	6,026,725
Clay	1,335,744	4,926,256	Harlan	437,562	2,578,874
Colfax	1,473,199	5,037,910	Hayes	74,035	1,105,891
Cuming	1,754,680	4,945,953	Hitchcock	484,242	2,644,168
Custer	1,693,372	8,118,126	Holt	1,467,574	5,407,091
Dakota	2,120,542	6,244,005	Hooker	169,062	586,171
Dawes	1,094,217	3,391,786	Howard	718,055	3,692,540
Dawson	3,388,932	10,939,376	Jefferson	1,232,746	5,154,893

PROPERTY TAX AND NEBRASKA INDIVIDUAL INCOME TAX
BY COUNTY (CONT'D)

Nebraska			1980		
County	Nebraska Individual Income Tax(1)	Total Property Tax Levied	County	Nebraska Individual Income Tax(1)	Total Property Tax Levied
Johnson	\$ 591,075	\$ 2,723,018	Red Willow	\$ 1,852,135	\$ 5,781,869
Kearney	1,238,130	4,402,338	Richardson	1,307,674	4,791,672
Keith	1,403,605	5,003,290	Rock	281,503	1,247,949
Keya Paha	96,599	818,990	Saline	1,979,613	6,816,993
Kimball	870,582	3,672,699	Sarpy	6,309,965	26,027,668
Knox	1,142,007	4,822,604	Saunders	2,490,353	10,290,098
Lancaster	32,068,302	81,134,370	Scotts Bluff	5,237,492	14,641,524
Lincoln	5,918,429	14,680,078	Seward	1,983,738	7,658,548
Logan	125,792	608,020	Sheridan	993,439	3,612,326
Loup	80,434	565,277	Sherman	321,523	2,434,610
McPherson	49,995	365,418	Sioux	139,072	1,099,495
Madison	5,189,111	10,735,480	Stanton	419,134	3,015,018
Merrick	1 116,972	5,006,179	Thayer	1,119,627	4,617,638
Morrill	722,518	3,136,247	Thomas	153,819	524,580
Nance	488,955	2,497,211	Thurston	716,386	2,996,889
Nemaha	986,838	3,849,285	Valley	614,148	2,987,252
Nuckolls	727,742	3,569,290	Washington	2,077,461	6,386,143
Otoe	1,967,605	7,835,343	Wayne	1,016,449	4,084,177
Pawnee	358,661	1,892,512	Webster	573,249	2,731,924
Perkins	492,959	2,935,202	Wheeler	65,922	961,232
Phelps	1,876,797	5,702,709	York	2,607,087	8,296,228
Pierce	863,622	3,648,337			
Platte	4,628,388	10,872,815	Nebraska(2)	257,275,775	708,671,291
Polk	896,750	3,985,130			

(1) Tax on 1979 income at 18% of Federal income tax liability.

(2) Includes unallocated and non-resident returns.

Note: Beginning in 1978, Agricultural income-producing machinery and equipment; feed, fertilizer and farm inventory; grain and seed; and poultry, fish and fur-bearing animals were exempt from taxation.

Source: Nebraska Department of Revenue, 1980 Annual Report.

POPULAR VOTE CAST FOR GOVERNOR

Nebraska

1880-1978

Year	Winner (Party)	Votes	Loser (Party)	Votes
1880	A. Nance (R)	55,237	T. W. Tipton (D)	28,167
1882	J. Dawes (R)	43,495	J. S. Morton (D)	28,562
1884	J. Dawes (R)	72,835	J. S. Morton (D)	57,634
1886	J. M. Thayer (R)	75,956	J. E. North (D)	52,656
1888	J. M. Thayer (R)	103,983	J. A. McShane (D)	85,420
1890	J. E. Boyd (D)	71,331	J. H. Powers (P)	70,187
1892	L. Crounse (R)	78,426	C. H. Van Wyck (P)	66,617
1894	S. A. Holcomb (F)	97,815	T. J. Majors (R)	94,613
1896	S. A. Holcomb (F)	116,415	J. H. McColl (R)	94,723
1898	W. A. Poynter (F)	95,703	M. L. Hayward (R)	92,282
1900	C. H. Dietrich (R)	113,879	W. A. Poynter (F)	113,018
1902	J. H. Mickey (R)	96,471(1)	W. H. Thompson (F)	91,116(1)
1904	J. H. Mickey (R)	111,711(1)	G. W. Berge (F)	102,558(1)
1906	G. L. Sheldon (R)	97,858(1)	A. C. Shallenberger (D)	84,855(1)
1908	A. C. Shallenberger (D)	132,960(1)	G. L. Sheldon (R)	125,976(1)
1910	C. H. Aldrich (R)	123,070	J. C. Dahlgren (D)	107,760
1912	J. H. Morehead (D)	123,997	C. H. Aldrich (R)	114,075
1914	J. H. Morehead (D)	120,206	R. H. Howell (R)	101,229
1916	K. Neville (D)	143,564	A. L. Sutton (R)	136,811
1918	S. R. McKelvie (R)	120,888	K. Neville (D)	97,886
1920	S. R. McKelvie (R)	152,863	J. H. Morehead (D)	130,433
1922	C. W. Bryan (D)	214,070	C. H. Randall (R)	163,735
1924	A. McMullen (R)	229,067	J. N. Norton (D)	183,709
1926	A. McMullen (R)	206,120	C. W. Bryan (D)	202,688
1928	A. J. Weaver (R)	308,262	C. W. Bryan (D)	230,640

POPULAR VOTE CAST FOR GOVERNOR (CONT'D)

Nebraska

1880-1978

Year	Winner (Party)	Votes	Loser (Party)	Votes
1930	C. W. Bryan (D)	222,161	A. J. Weaver (R)	215,615
1932	C. W. Bryan (D)	296,117	D. Griswold (R)	260,888
1934	R. L. Cochran (D)	284,095	D. Griswold (R)	266,707
1936	R. L. Cochran (D)	333,412	D. Griswold (R)	257,267
1938	R. L. Cochran (D)	218,787	C. J. Warner (R)	201,898
1940	D. Griswold (R)	365,638	T. Carpenter (D)	235,167
1942	D. Griswold (R)	283,271	C. W. Bryan (D)	95,231
1944	D. Griswold (R)	410,136	G. W. Olsen (D)	128,760
1946	V. Peterson (R)	249,468	F. Sorrell (D)	131,367
1948	V. Peterson (R)	286,119	F. Sorrell (D)	190,214
1950	V. Peterson (R)	247,081	W. R. Raecke (D)	202,638
1952	R. B. Crosby (R)	366,009	W. R. Raecke (D)	229,700
1954	V. E. Anderson (R)	250,080	W. Ritchie (D)	164,753
1956	V. E. Anderson (R)	308,293	F. Sorrell (D)	228,048
1958	R. G. Brooks (D)	211,345	V. E. Anderson (R)	209,705
1960	F. B. Morrison (D)	311,344	J. R. Cooper (R)	287,302
1962	F. B. Morrison (D)	242,669	F. A. Seaton (R)	221,885
1964	F. B. Morrison (D)	347,026	D. W. Burney (R)	231,029
1966	N. T. Tiemann (R)	299,245	P. C. Sorenson (D)	186,985
1970	J. J. Exon (D)	248,552	N. T. Tiemann (R)	201,994
1974	J. J. Exon (D)	267,012	R. D. Marvel (R)	159,780
1978	C. Thone (R)	275,473	G. T. Whelan (D)	216,754

D—Democrat; F—Fusion; P—Populist; R—Republican
(1) Unofficial

Source: Nebraska Secretary of State, Official Report of the Board of State Canvassers, biennial.

SECTION M

RECREATION & TOURISM

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RECREATION AND TOURISM

Nebraska recreation and tourism grew rapidly for most of the 1970s and early 1980s, reflecting increases in population, leisure time, educational levels, automobile ownership, and disposable personal income. This growth was channeled into a number of activities, including visits to Nebraska park and recreation areas, historic facilities, and other attractions in the State. However, concerns over gasoline availability and rising gasoline prices in 1973-74 and later in 1979 disrupted to some extent the general upward trend.

In 1981, over a billion dollars was spent in Nebraska by visitors to the state as well as by residents on trips to places 100 miles or more from home. This spending accounted for the equivalent of 35,000 full-time jobs, making the Nebraska travel industry the state's third largest economic sector, following agriculture and manufacturing.

The growth of recreation and tourism is perhaps most evident in the increased use of Nebraska parks, historic sites, museums, and other attractions. Among the foremost of these attractions are the park and recreation areas of the Nebraska Game and Parks Commission, which together hosted well over 7 million visitors during 1981. These areas enable a variety of outdoor recreation activities, including sightseeing, picnicking, camping, swimming, boating, and fishing.

In this section, a listing is presented of Nebraska parks, recreation areas, and other attractions, including attendance figures for selected facilities. Also presented are data on outdoor recreation participation by Nebraskans as well as such indicators of Nebraska tourism as the origins and destinations of nonresident visitors to the State.

PARK AND RECREATION AREAS

Nebraska		1981
Name	Location	Facilities
STATE PARKS		
Chadron	9 mi. S. Chadron, U.S. 20 or 385	CFPBS
Fort Robinson	3 mi. W. Crawford, U.S. 20	CFHPB
Indian Cave	4 mi. E. Barada	CFHP
Niobrara	0.5 mi. S., 1 mi. W. Niobrara, Neb. 12	CFPBS
Platte River	7 mi. S. Ashland	CFPBS
Ponca	2 mi. N. Ponca, Neb. 9 or 12	CFPBS
STATE HISTORICAL PARKS		
Arbor Lodge	Nebraska City, U.S. 34, Neb. 2	P
Ash Hollow	2.5 mi. S. Lewellen, U.S. 26	P
Bluewater Battlefield	0.5 mi. E., 3 mi. S., Lewellen	U
Buffalo Bill Ranch	North Platte, U.S. 30	U
Champion Mill	Champion, Neb. 106	U
Fort Atkinson	E. Fort Calhoun	U
Fort Hartsuff	2.5 mi. NW Elyria, Neb. 11	U
Fort Kearny	4 mi. S., 4 mi. E. Kearney, Neb. 10	U
Rock Creek Station	4 mi. N., 1 mi. E. Parks, U.S. 34	U
FEDERAL AREAS		
Agate Fossil Beds Nat'l Monument	17 mi. S., Harrison	U
Chimney Rock Nat'l Historic Site	4 mi. S., Bayard	U
Crescent Lake Nat'l Wildlife Refuge	20 mi. S., Lakeside	U
DeSoto Nat'l Wildlife Refuge	5 mi. S. Blair, U.S. 73	FPBS
Fort McPherson Nat'l Cemetery	2 mi. S. Maxwell Interchange I-80	U
Fort Niobrara Nat'l Wildlife Refuge	3 mi. E. Valentine, U.S. 20	FHP
Harlan County Reservoir	0.5 mi. S. Alma, U.S. 136	CFHPBS
Homestead Nat'l Monument	4 mi. W., Beatrice	U
Nebraska Nat'l Forest		
Bessey Division	W. of Halsey, Neb. 2	CFHPS
McKelvie Division	9 mi. S. Nenzel	CHP
Pine Ridge Division	7 mi. S. Chadron, U.S. 385	CHP
Ogala Nat'l Grasslands	10 mi. NW Crawford, Neb. 71-2	CHP
Papillion Creek	4 mi. E. Papillion	CFHPS
Valentine Nat'l Wildlife Refuge	20 mi. S. Valentine	U

PARK AND RECREATION AREAS (CONT'D)

Nebraska

1981

Name	Location	Facilities
STATE RECREATION AREAS		
Alexandria Lakes	4 mi. E. Alexandria, Neb. 76	CFHPBS
Arnold Lake	1 mi. S. Arnold	CFPB
Atkinson Lake	0.5 mi. W. Atkinson, U.S. 20 or Neb. 11	CFHPBS
Bluestem Lake	2.5 mi. W. Sprague	CFHPB
Bowman Lake	0.5 mi. W. Loup City	CFHPB
Box Butte Reservoir	9.5 mi. N. Hemingford	CFHPBS
Branched Oak Lake	1 mi. N., 4 mi. W. Raymond	CFHPBS
Bridgeport	Bridgeport	CFPBS
Brownville	Brownville	CFHPB
Champion Lake	0.5 mi. W. Champion	CFHP
Conestoga Lake	2 mi. N. Denton	CFHPB
Cottonwood Lake	0.5 mi. E. Merriman	CFHPBS
Crystal Lake	1.5 mi. N. Ayr	CHPB
Dead Timber	4 mi. N., 1.5 mi. W. Scribner	CFHPB
Enders Reservoir	5 mi. E., 4.5 mi. S. Imperial	CFHPBS
Ferry Landing	3 mi. E. Niobrara	FHB
Fremont Lakes	3 mi. W. Fremont	CFPBS
Gallagher Canyon	8 mi. S. Cozad	CFHPB
Harry Strunk Lake	See - Medicine Creek Reservoir	
Hord Lake	2 mi. E. Central City	CFHPBS
Hugh Butler Lake	See - Red Willow Reservoir	
Johnson Lake	7 mi. SW Lexington	CFHPBS
Kearney County	4 mi. S., 5 mi. E. Kearney	CFPBS
Lake Maloney	68 mi. S. North Platte	CFHPB
Lake McConaughy ⁽¹⁾	11 mi. N. Ogallala	CFHPBS
Lake Ogallala	9 mi. NE Ogallala	CFHPB
Lewis and Clark Lake ⁽²⁾	15 mi. N. Crofton	CFHPBS
Long Lake	20 mi. SW Johnstown	CFHPB
Long Pine	1 mi. N. Long Pine	CFHP
Louisville Lakes	0.5 mi. NW Louisville	CFPBS
Mahoney Reservoir	7 mi. S. North Platte	CFPBS
Medicine Creek Reservoir	2 mi. W., 7 mi. N. Cambridge	CFHPBS
Memphis Lake	N. Memphis	CFHPB
Merritt Reservoir	25 mi. SW Valentine	CFHPBS
Minatare Lake	8 mi. N. Minatare	CFPBS
Olive Creek Lake	1.5 mi. SE Kramer	CFHPBS
Pawnee Lake	3 mi. N., 2 mi. W. Emerald	CFHPBS
Pibel Lake	9 mi. S., 1 mi. E. Bartlett	CFHPB
Pressy	17 mi. S. Broken Bow	CHP

PARK AND RECREATION AREAS (CONT'D)

Nebraska

1981

Name	Location	Facilities
Rat and Beaver Lakes	30 mi. SW Valentine	FH
Ravenna Lake	1 mi. SE Ravenna	FHPB
Red Willow Reservoir	11 mi. N. McCook	CFHPBS
Riverview Marina	Nebraska City on Missouri R.	CFPB
Rock Creek	4 mi. N., 1 mi. W. Parks	CFHPBS
Rockford	7 mi. E., 2 mi. S. Beatrice	CFHPBS
Schramm Park	9 mi. S. Gretna	PB
Sherman Reservoir	4 mi. E., 1 mi. N. Loup City	CFHPBS
Stagecoach Lake	1 mi. S. Hickman	CFHPB
Swanson Reservoir	2 mi. W. Trenton	CFHPB
Two Rivers	1 mi. S., 1 mi. W. Venice	CFHPS
Verdon Lake	0.5 mi. W. Verdon	CFPB
Victoria Springs	7 mi. E. Anselmo	CFPB
Wagon Train Lake	2 mi. E. Hickman	CFHPBS
Walgren Lake	5 mi. SE Hay Springs	CFPB
Wildcat Hills	10 mi. S. Gering	HP

Facilities: C - Camping; F - Fishing; H - Hunting; P - Picnicking; S - Swimming;
B - Boating, some areas restricted as to type of craft and speed;
U - Undeveloped.

- (1) Five areas: Eagle Canyon, Gate 13, Martin Bay, Omaha Beach, Otter Creek
- (2) six areas: South Shore, Deep Water, Bloomfield, Miller Creek, Wiegand East, Wiegand West.

Source: Nebraska Game and Parks Commission.

STATE PARK AND RECREATION AREA INCOME

Nebraska

1979-1981

Area	1979	1980	1981
Arbor Lodge State Historical Park	\$ 18,677	\$ 18,221	\$ 20,687
Ash Hollow State Historical Park	988	1,268	1,358
Branched Oak State Recreation Area	1,968	2,062	13,103
Buffalo Bill State Historical Park	2,309	5,143	5,607
Chadron State Park	57,632	78,259	81,558
Enders State Recreation Area	925	981	981
Fort Kearny State Historical Park	9,094	3,331	4,396
Fort Robinson State Park	401,863	459,048	500,968
Fremont State Recreation Area	21,598	22,744	27,135
Indian Cave State Park	5,031	7,995	17,479
Johnson State Recreation Area	17,417	19,561	22,330
Kearney County State Recreation Area	5,680	6,421	7,954
Lake McConaughy State Recreation Area	32,347	40,074	49,805
Lake Minatare State Recreation Area	1,836	1,448	1,859
Lewis and Clark State Recreation Area	2,166	2,833	2,841
Louisville State Recreation Area	11,591	15,269	18,517
Medicine Creek State Recreation Area	2,194	2,164	4,037
Merritt State Recreation Area	2,423	5,623	2,582
Mormon Island State Wayside Area	15,115	15,531	17,237
Niobrara State Park	25,984	32,340	32,545
Pawnee State Recreation Area	—	—	6,259
Ponca State Park	64,695	80,601	91,073
Red Willow State Recreation Area	1,652	1,605	3,027
Sherman State Recreation Area	6,221	6,112	6,509
Swanson State Recreation Area	697	1,000	2,559
Two Rivers State Recreation Area	20,652	24,922	22,895
Victoria Springs State Recreation Area	6,407	7,981	8,906
Windmill State Wayside Area	12,145	12,608	17,940
Miscellaneous Areas	8,475	1,904	9,085
Total	\$757,782	\$877,049	\$1,001,232

Source: Nebraska Game and Parks Commission, State Parks Division Annual Report, 1981.

ATTENDANCE AT STATE PARK AND RECREATION AREAS

Nebraska

1979-1981

Area	1979	1980	1981
Arbor Lodge State Historical Park	167,692	119,623	125,297
Ash Hollow State Historical Park	76,806	67,000	62,300
Bluestem State Recreation Area	186,127	180,000	180,000
Box Butte State Recreation Area	65,420	66,450	65,000
Branched Oak State Recreation Area	783,889	750,000	750,000
Bridgeport State Recreation Area	155,000	195,000	158,000
Buffalo Bill State Historical Park	49,860	38,845	43,033
Chadron State Park	262,264	278,447	228,516
Champion Mill State Historical Park	1,500	2,500	2,000
Conastoga State Recreation Area	151,035	145,000	145,000
Dead Timber State Recreation Area	73,562	75,650	75,630
Enders State Recreation Area	53,448	58,208	59,220
Fort Atkinson State Historical Park	34,830	35,550	36,525
Fort Hartsuff State Historical park	29,435	30,000	31,580
Fort Kearny State Historical Park	87,255	84,130	86,221
Fort Robinson State Park	270,500	292,583	376,997
Fremont State Recreation Area	626,080	628,850	632,400
Indian Cave State Park	177,261	144,597	120,250
Johnson Lake State Recreation Area	274,866	341,335	414,990
Kearney County State Recreation Area	159,163	166,169	158,935
Lake McConaughy State Recreation Area	380,043	396,925	385,017
Lake Minatare State Recreation Area	249,653	248,452	256,872
Lewis and Clark State Recreation Area	264,260	337,855	377,714
Louisville State Recreation Area	194,036	205,130	227,666
Medicine Creek State Recreation Area	115,704	112,892	123,540
Merritt State Recreation Area	147,503	137,312	182,777
Niobrara State Park	200,417	160,771	148,467
Olive Creek State Recreation Area	32,256	25,000	251,000
Pawnee State Recreation Area	757,551	700,000	700,000
Ponca State Park	219,931	214,752	203,949
Red Willow State Recreation Area	195,610	166,570	195,610
Rock Creek Station State Historical Park	2,000	4,935	8,604
Schramm State Recreation Area	333,349	350,000	153,880
Sherman State Recreation Area	234,000	162,650	201,000
Stagecoach State Recreation Area	14,041	14,000	14,000
Swanson State Recreation Area	38,735	55,231	88,862
Two Rivers State Recreation Area	191,909	224,529	225,201
Victoria Springs State Recreation Area	84,300	70,750	48,800
Wagon Train State Recreation Area	38,973	36,000	36,000
Total	7,380,264	7,381,738	7,334,243

Source: Nebraska Game and Parks Commission, State Parks Division, Annual Report, 1981.

ATTENDANCE AT SELECTED NEBRASKA ATTRACTIONS

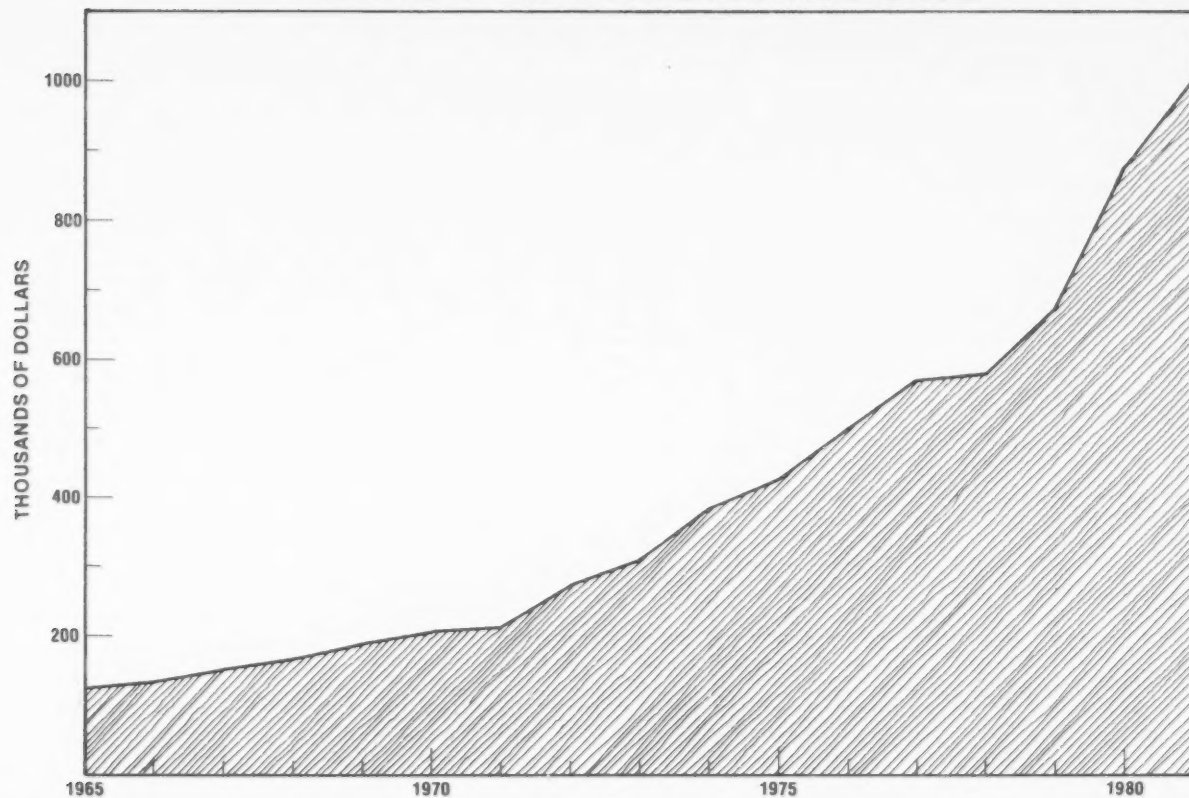
Nebraska

1979-1981

Attraction	Location	1979	1980	1981
Agate Fossil Beds Nat'l Monument	Agate	8,146	8,330	9,459
Boys Town Visitor Center	Omaha	44,000	82,000	100,000
Children's Zoo	Lincoln	98,555	122,000	131,000
Fairview (William J. Bryan Home)	Lincoln	4,296	2,999	3,213
Fontenelle Forest Nature Center	Bellevue	24,822	65,000	65,000
Fort Niobrara Nat'l Wildlife Refuge	Valentine	76,902	54,086	57,335
Fort Robinson Museum	Crawford	36,775	75,689	81,152
George W. Norris Home	McCook	2,314	2,170	2,856
Harold Warp's Pioneer Village	Minden	104,000	100,000	112,000
Hastings Museum (House of Yesterday)	Hastings	36,848	36,648	37,515
Henry Doorly Zoo	Omaha	408,851	388,653	442,573
Homestead Nat'l Monument	Beatrice	18,084	16,278	16,421
Joslyn Art Museum	Omaha	90,065	113,388	111,680
Museum of the Fur Trade	Chadron	27,572	29,353	31,798
Museum of the High Plains	McCook	9,580	18,000	3,820
Pioneer Trails Museum	Bridgeport	896	1,140	1,222
Pony Express Station	Gothenburg	30,000	30,000	46,000
Scotts Bluff Nat'l Monument	Gering	173,291	109,520	150,183
Sheldon Memorial Art Gallery	Lincoln	100,352	105,978	103,441
State Capitol	Lincoln	101,427	200,000	245,000
State Historical Society	Lincoln	51,346	49,667	48,980
State Museum (Elephant Hall)	Lincoln	152,395	190,000	225,506
Strategic Aerospace museum	Bellevue	70,596	71,230	80,834
Stuhr Museum	Grand Island	78,146	70,661	73,585
Thomas P. Kennard House	Lincoln	14,139	15,921	15,269
Union Pacific Museum	Omaha	22,793	19,574	20,079
Wilber Czech Museum	Wilber	5,000	1,775	2,800
Willa Cather Pioneer Memorial	Red Cloud	5,928	4,705	8,712

Source: Nebraska Department of Economic Development, Division of Research.

STATE PARK AREAS INCOME



PARTICIPATION IN OUTDOOR RECREATION
ACTIVITIES BY NEBRASKANS

Nebraska			1978
Activity	Percent of State Population and Number Participating	Average Number of Participation Days	Total Activity Days
Tent Camping	18.4 (283,408)	6.3	1,785,470
Recreational Vehicle Camping	16.3 (251,062)	10.0	2,510,620
Hiking	22.3 (343,478)	10.0	3,434,780
Stream and River Fishing	21.7 (334,236)	11.8	3,943,985
Lake and Reservoir Fishing	30.9 (475,940)	10.9	5,187,746
Bicycling	33.4 (514,447)	40.4	20,783,659
Picnicking	63.5 (978,065)	7.2	7,042,068
Waterskiing	12.2 (187,912)	9.6	1,803,955
Power Boating	20.6 (317,294)	9.2	2,919,105
Canoeing	6.9 (106,278)	5.0	531,390
Sailing	2.9 (44,668)	7.6	339,477
Rafting and Other	4.2 (64,691)	6.5	420,492
Pool Swimming	33.1 (509,826)	25.0	12,745,650
Bench Swimming	28.6 (440,514)	12.2	5,374,271
Golf	11.2 (172,509)	18.5	3,191,417
Tennis	17.8 (274,166)	17.9	4,907,571
Baseball or Softball	17.7 (272,626)	22.0	5,997,772
Visiting Historic Areas	38.9 (599,161)	5.1	3,055,721
Horseback Riding	13.5 (207,935)	18.0	3,742,830
Snowmobiling	5.2 (80,094)	5.6	448,526
Target Shooting	9.9 (152,486)	14.8	2,256,793
Upland Game Hunting*	14.3 (221,586)	11.6	2,567,910
Waterfowl Hunting*	6.1 (95,300)	11.0	1,051,271
Big Game Hunting*	7.7 (119,789)	11.7	1,402,775
Non-game Hunting*	3.8 (59,867)	6.1	368,024
Ice Skating	22.8 (351,179)	—	—
Ice Fishing*	3.8 (53,180)	4.9	291,700
Downhill Snow Skiing	9.8 (150,945)	—	—
Cross-country Snow Skiing	1.6 (24,644)	—	—

* 1979 Data

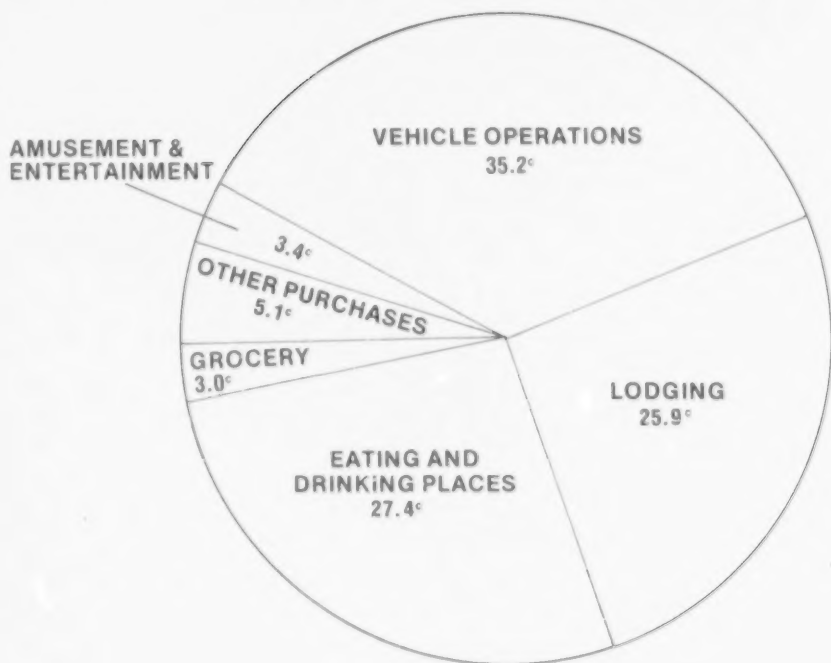
Source: Nebraska Game and Parks Commission, State Comprehensive Outdoor Recreation Plan, 1979. Data gathered by Bureau of Sociological Research, University of Nebraska-Lincoln in Nebraska Annual Social Indicators Survey, 1978 and 1979.

LEADING ORIGIN AND DESTINATION STATES OF NONRESIDENT
TRAVELERS TO NEBRASKA

Nebraska		1979-1980	
<u>Season</u>			
<u>State of Origin</u>	<u>Percent</u>	<u>State of Destination</u>	<u>Percent</u>
<u>July-September, 1979</u>			
Iowa	16.1	Nebraska	26.6
Colorado	8.7	Colorado	17.3
California	8.6	California	6.8
South Dakota	7.3	Iowa	6.0
Kansas	6.6	South Dakota	6.0
<u>October-December, 1979</u>			
Iowa	15.3	Nebraska	35.2
Colorado	10.6	Colorado	11.9
South Dakota	7.3	Iowa	7.1
Illinois	5.8	South Dakota	6.5
Minnesota	5.7	Kansas	3.8
<u>January-March, 1980</u>			
Iowa	30.9	Nebraska	50.4
Minnesota	7.7	Colorado	11.0
Colorado	6.3	California	8.0
Illinois	5.1	Iowa	3.8
Kansas	4.4	Illinois	3.5
<u>April-June, 1980</u>			
Iowa	18.3	Nebraska	34.5
Colorado	11.5	Colorado	8.7
South Dakota	9.3	Iowa	7.3
California	7.3	California	6.9
Minnesota	7.0	Illinois	4.5

Source: Oblinger-McCaleb Corporation, Old West Region Nonresident Travel and Recreation Survey—Summary Report, 1980.

**BREAKDOWN
OF EACH DOLLAR SPENT
BY A NONRESIDENT
TRAVELER IN NEBRASKA
JUNE 1, 1979 - MAY 30, 1980**



SECTION N

ENERGY

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ENERGY

Energy consumption in Nebraska totaled 523 trillion Btu's during 1981. Petroleum accounted for the greatest usage--nearly 33 percent of the total, while natural gas ranked second with nearly 27 percent of the state's consumption. Slightly more than 31 percent was used for generating electricity, and 23 percent was attributable to the transportation sectors.

Since 1970, consumption of several types of energy has increased substantially. Consumers more than tripled their usage of coal between 1970 and 1979, and nuclear power, with the construction of two generating plants during the 1970s, accounted for approximately one-third of the electricity generated in Nebraska during 1981. On the other hand, natural gas consumption declined by almost 25 percent from 1970 to 1979, while hydroelectric generation decreased by 9 percent. Although recent efforts to conserve petroleum have been successful, Nebraskans used 24 percent more of this fuel in 1979 than in 1970.

Nebraska is the only state in the nation where all electric utilities are publicly owned and operated. Costs to Nebraska's electrical consumers have been among the lowest in the entire United States. From 1970 to 1979, electric utility sales in Nebraska increased by approximately 60 percent, and generating capacity grew by 155 percent. Conventional steam sources, primarily coal, presently account for more than half of the state's electrical generating capacity.

Presented in this section are statistics dealing with energy generated and consumed in Nebraska. Data have been obtained largely from the following sources: the Nebraska Energy Office, the U.S. Department of Energy, the U.S. Bureau of the Census, the U.S. Bureau of Mines, the American Gas Association, and the Edison Electric Institute.

NATURAL GAS SALES OF UTILITIES AND CLASS OF SERVICE
(In Trillions of BTU)

Nebraska

1945-1980

Year	Total	Residential	Commercial	Industrial	Other
1945	29.0	6.3	2.6	17.1	3.1
1946	34.3	7.3	2.9	20.7	3.4
1947	41.2	13.7	4.7	22.5	3.5
1948	46.9	13.7	5.7	23.6	4.0
1949	51.0	15.0	7.3	24.4	4.3
1950	56.9	18.4	8.1	27.1	3.2
1951	66.6	21.5	8.9	32.2	4.1
1952	73.5	23.7	8.6	36.7	4.5
1953	78.3	24.4	9.0	37.5	7.4
1954	89.2	26.8	9.8	45.2	7.5
1955	96.3	30.5	10.9	46.1	8.8
1956	100.3	32.1	12.3	46.4	9.5
1957	106.0	34.0	13.6	49.0	9.4
1958	106.5	34.7	14.2	46.1	11.6
1959	119.8	38.0	15.1	53.8	12.9
1960	126.7	40.4	16.6	55.0	14.7
1961	128.1	40.1	17.2	55.4	15.4
1962	134.8	43.3	18.5	56.2	16.9
1963	137.2	41.1	17.5	61.1	17.5
1964	148.1	43.8	20.1	78.0	6.1
1965	153.7	46.8	21.9	78.6	6.4
1966	171.2	47.0	23.2	95.5	5.5
1967	173.5	47.5	25.4	93.4	7.2
1968	187.5	48.6	26.6	101.6	10.8
1969	193.0	52.8	29.0	99.6	11.6
1970	197.8	50.9	30.2	114.0	16.4
1971	199.5	51.3	31.4	106.3	10.5
1972	203.7	54.1	32.4	114.2	15.9
1973	206.5	53.7	29.3	111.7	11.7
1974	196.3	51.1	35.4	103.3	61.5
1975	187.2	53.7	36.8	92.5	4.1
1976	167.0	53.1	38.0	75.7	0.1
1977	154.0	50.7	33.4	69.8	0.1
1978	156.7	57.2	37.6	61.6	0.2
1979	160.3	57.1	37.7	65.4	0.1
1980	152.5	49.5	35.1	67.8	0.1

Source: American Gas Association, Historical Statistics of Gas Industry, and Gas Facts, annual.

CONSUMPTION OF ENERGY
(By Type)

Nebraska				1960-1979	
Year	Coal (Thousand Tons)	Natural Gas (Billion Cubic Feet)	Petroleum (Thousand Barrels)	Nuclear Power	Hydroelectric Power(1)
				Million Kilowatt Hours	
1960	877	136	26,933	0	959
1961	795	140	27,414	0	928
1962	1,010	144	27,987	0	975
1963	1,064	147	30,140	75	1,014
1964	1,015	162	29,462	91	1,003
1965	883	166	28,364	5	1,116
1966	844	197	30,877	0	1,162
1967	781	189	32,497	0	1,163
1968	725	203	35,742	0	1,254
1969	1,143	210	37,468	0	1,238
1970	1,275	222	38,950	0	1,371
1971	1,170	224	39,670	0	1,359
1972	1,479	225	42,459	0	1,372
1973	1,679	230	42,630	599	1,371
1974	1,563	223	42,504	3,996	1,294
1975	1,562	219	42,797	5,916	1,213
1976	2,576	199	47,764	5,824	1,276
1977	2,835	189	47,440	7,452	1,221
1978	2,977	163	49,602	7,725	1,187
1979	4,060	170	48,306	8,658	1,246

(1) Includes industrial and utility production and net imports of electricity.

Source: U.S. Department of Energy, Energy Information Administration, State Energy Data Report, 1960 through 1979.

ENERGY CONSUMPTION BY FUEL TYPE AND CONSUMING SECTOR
(In Trillion (10¹²) BTU)

Nebraska						1981 Preliminary	
Fuel Type	Electric Utilities	Residential	Commercial	Industry	Agriculture	Transportation	Total
Coal	113.1	—	—	10.3	—	—	123.4
Natural Gas	9.7	55.4	32.6	33.2	11.0	—	141.9
Motor Gasoline	—	—	—	—	3.9	94.3	98.2
Aviation Fuel	—	—	—	—	—	4.8	4.8
Liquified Petroleum Gas	—	2.8	1.7	0.8	6.1	—	11.4
Other Petroleum	0.4	2.8	5.4	6.0	22.4	19.2	56.2
Nuclear	73.3	—	—	—	—	—	73.3
Hydro	13.9	—	—	—	—	—	13.9
Electricity Sales	45.5	17.9	13.6	9.5	4.5	—	NA
Total	164.9	78.9	53.3	59.8	47.9	118.3	523.1

NA Not Available

Note: Sum of components may not equal total due to independent rounding.

Source: Nebraska Energy Office, Annual Report.

REVENUES OF GAS UTILITIES & MILES OF UTILITY GAS MAIN

Year	Revenues of Gas Utilities		Selected Years Miles of Pipeline & Main
	Total Gas	Sales for	
	Revenue	Resale	
1945	\$ 11,366,000	NA	3,840
1950	22,686,000	NA	4,940
1955	46,606,000	NA	7,320
1960	66,334,000	NA	8,910
1965	77,722,000	NA	10,300
1967	83,631,000	NA	11,300
1968	88,427,000	NA	11,880
1969	97,117,000	NA	12,260
1970	101,542,000	\$ 42,394,000	12,627
1971	113,980,000	48,745,000	13,057
1972	123,924,000	50,828,000	13,204
1973	136,897,000	56,436,000	13,349
1974	147,731,000	64,427,000	13,477
1975	169,010,000	77,384,000	13,333
1976	189,312,000	77,453,000	13,528
1977	215,175,000	95,788,000	13,623
1978	256,861,000	120,133,000	13,792
1979	320,352,000	145,047,000	13,897
1980	356,352,000	174,217,000	14,087

NA - Not available

Source: American Gas Association, Gas Facts, annual.

TYPICAL ELECTRIC BILLS - RESIDENTIAL
(In Dollars)

Nebraska		January 1, 1981			
		Lighting, Appliances, Refrigeration, Cooking			
Community			& Water Heating		& Water Heating & Space Heating
	250 kWh	500 kWh	750 kWh	1,000 kWh	2,500 kWh
Alliance	\$17.25	\$28.90	\$37.15	\$45.40	\$94.90
Auburn (W)	12.34	20.84	26.84	32.84	67.34
(S)	13.84	24.84	34.59	44.34	100.34
Aurora (W)	18.11	28.93	34.14	42.21	72.10
(S)	18.11	28.93	34.64	43.96	85.05
Beatrice (W)	13.31	23.38	32.34	39.66	83.55
(S)	13.31	23.38	33.04	42.11	96.50
Bellevue (W)	14.27	22.38	29.93	37.49	76.82
(S)	14.27	24.60	34.93	45.26	98.77
Blair (W)	14.48	21.48	28.48	34.98	69.48
(S)	14.48	25.23	35.08	43.58	89.58
Broken Bow	13.25	23.00	30.25	37.50	81.01
Central City (W)	18.53	29.82	39.90	48.18	97.88
(S)	18.53	29.82	40.40	49.93	107.13
Chadron (W)	18.11	28.93	34.14	42.21	72.10
(S)	18.11	28.93	34.64	43.96	85.05
Columbus	18.05	28.60	37.14	46.69	84.98
Cozad	17.79	29.37	40.61	50.44	109.45
Crete	12.80	23.30	32.90	41.90	95.90
Fairbury (W)	17.50	26.25	33.00	39.75	80.25
(S)	17.50	26.25	34.50	42.75	92.25
Falls City	18.20	29.20	38.74	47.32	98.77
Fremont (W)	16.30	27.94	37.82	47.70	90.50
(S)	16.80	29.69	41.32	52.95	106.25
Gering	14.45	21.95	28.35	33.10	61.60
Gothenburg(W)	16.00	26.80	37.59	48.39	93.68
(S)	16.00	26.80	37.59	48.39	105.68
Grand Island	18.88	34.86	47.98	61.11	139.88
Hastings (W)	19.28	35.97	52.68	67.37	152.57
(S)	19.28	35.97	52.68	69.37	169.57
Holdrege (W)	14.35	24.89	33.19	38.49	65.77
(S)	14.85	25.89	36.94	47.99	114.27
Kearney (W)	18.11	28.93	34.14	42.21	72.10
(S)	18.11	28.93	34.64	43.96	85.05
Kimball	18.05	31.55	45.05	58.55	132.05
La Vista (W)	14.27	22.38	29.93	37.49	76.82
(S)	14.27	24.60	34.93	45.26	98.77
Lexington(W)	21.10	31.30	41.50	46.45	72.54
(S)	21.10	32.40	43.70	50.75	102.84
Lincoln (W)	14.85	25.34	35.24	45.14	82.34
(S)	14.85	27.47	42.70	57.92	149.27
McCook (W)	18.11	28.93	34.14	42.21	72.10
(S)	18.11	28.93	34.64	43.96	85.05

TYPICAL ELECTRIC BILLS - RESIDENTIAL (CONT'D)
(In Dollars)

Nebraska		January 1, 1981				
		Lighting, Appliances, Refrigeration, Cooking				
Community				& Water Heating		& Water Heating & Space Heating
		250 kWh	500 kWh	750 kWh	1,000 kWh	2,500 kWh
Minden	(W)	17.30	28.85	39.25	45.29	74.98
	(S)	20.18	34.60	46.15	57.70	126.98
Nebraska City	(W)	12.54	19.29	26.04	32.79	68.79
	(S)	15.95	25.45	33.95	42.45	92.45
Norfolk	(W)	18.11	28.93	34.14	42.21	72.10
	(S)	18.11	28.93	34.64	43.96	85.05
North Platte	(W)	13.31	22.62	26.99	36.30	90.03
	(S)	14.06	23.90	28.51	38.35	95.11
O'Neill	(W)	18.11	28.93	34.14	42.21	72.10
	(S)	18.11	28.93	34.64	43.96	85.05
Ogallala	(W)	18.11	28.93	34.14	42.21	72.10
	(S)	18.11	28.93	34.64	43.96	85.05
Omaha	(W)	14.27	22.38	29.93	37.49	76.82
	(S)	14.27	24.60	34.93	45.26	98.77
Papillion	(W)	14.27	22.38	29.93	37.49	76.82
	(S)	14.27	24.60	34.93	45.26	98.77
Plattsmouth	(W)	18.11	28.93	34.14	42.21	72.10
	(S)	18.11	28.93	34.64	43.96	85.05
Ralston	(W)	14.27	22.38	29.93	37.49	76.82
	(S)	14.27	24.60	34.93	45.26	98.77
Schuyler	(W)	16.55	28.10	39.64	51.19	80.88
	(S)	16.55	28.10	39.64	51.19	109.88
Scottsbluff	(W)	18.11	28.93	34.14	42.21	72.10
	(S)	18.11	28.93	34.64	43.96	85.05
Seward	(W)	16.00	26.50	37.00	43.30	74.80
	(S)	16.00	26.50	37.00	47.50	110.50
Sidney		15.65	25.65	35.65	45.65	101.65
South Sioux City		17.18	33.30	47.53	58.90	99.40
Superior		14.98	25.56	33.38	41.21	88.18
Valentine	(W)	19.64	31.89	41.13	53.88	83.69
	(S)	19.64	31.89	44.13	53.88	88.28
Wahoo		15.33	27.10	38.80	50.50	119.97
Wayne	(W)	15.41	25.21	35.01	44.81	103.61
	(S)	17.15	28.20	39.25	50.30	116.60
West Point	(W)	11.34	18.84	26.34	33.84	67.84
	(S)	12.08	20.58	29.08	37.58	85.58
York	(W)	18.11	28.93	34.14	42.21	72.10
	(S)	18.11	28.93	34.64	43.96	85.05

(W) - Winter rates

(S) - Summer rates

Source: U.S. Department of Energy, Energy Information Administration,
Typical Electric Bills, 1981.

ELECTRIC UTILITIES SERVING NEBRASKA COMMUNITIES

Nebraska

1981

Community	Utility Serving Community
Alliance	Alliance Municipal Utilities
Auburn	Auburn Board of Public Works
Aurora	Nebraska Public Power District
Beatrice	Beatrice Board of Public Works
Bellevue	Omaha Public Power District
Blair	Blair Light Department
Broken Bow	Broken Bow Municipal Utilities
Central City	Central City Light Department
Chadron	Nebraska Public Power District
Columbus	Loup River Public Power District
Cozad	Cozad Light Department
Crete	Crete Light and Water Works
Fairbury	Fairbury Light and Water Department
Falls City	Falls City Water and Light Department
Fremont	Fremont Department of Utilities
Gering	Gering Light and Water Department
Gothenburg	Gothenburg Public Works Division
Grand Island	Grand Island Electric Department
Hastings	Hastings Utilities Department
Holdrege	Holdrege Department of Utilities
Kearney	Nebraska Public Power District
Kimball	Kimball Municipal Utilities
La Vista	Omaha Public Power District
Lexington	Lexington Electric Service
Lincoln	Lincoln Electric System
McCook	Nebraska Public Power District
Minden	Minden Light Department
Nebraska City	Nebraska City Utilities
Norfolk	Nebraska Public Power District
North Platte	North Platte Municipal Light & Power
O'Neill	Nebraska Public Power District
Ogallala	Nebraska Public Power District
Omaha	Omaha Public Power District
Papillion	Omaha Public Power District
Plattsmouth	Nebraska Public Power District
Ralston	Omaha Public Power District
Schuyler	Schuyler Department of Utilities
Scottsbluff	Nebraska Public Power District
Seward	Seward Municipal Electric Light Department
Sidney	Sidney Public Utilities
South Sioux City	City of South Sioux City
Superior	City of Superior
Valentine	Valentine Electric System
Wahoo	Wahoo Water & Light Department
Wayne	Wayne Light Department
West Point	West Point Light & Water Works
York	Nebraska Public Power District

Source: U.S. Department of Energy, Energy Information Administration,
Typical Electric Bills, 1981.

INSTALLED GENERATING CAPACITY
OF ELECTRIC UTILITY INDUSTRY
(Thousand Kilowatts)

Nebraska		Selected Years			
Year	Total Industry	Hydro	Conventional Steam	Nuclear Steam	Internal Combustion
1940	367	228	86	—	52
1945	417	142	220	—	54
1950	581	142	356	—	83
1955	762	141	512	—	109
1960	1,224	240	843	—	141
1965	1,590	238	1,192	—	160
1966	1,646	238	1,243	—	165
1967	1,653	238	1,243	—	172
1968	2,004	238	1,591	—	175
1969	2,010	238	1,590	—	182
1970	2,017	238	1,591	—	188
1971	2,015	238	1,582	—	195
1972	2,158	236	1,721	—	201
1973	3,033	236	2,094	457	246
1974	3,834	236	2,094	1,258	246
1975	3,776	235	2,037	1,258	246
1976	3,922	235	2,182	1,258	247
1977	3,927	235	2,188	1,258	246
1978	3,872	235	2,090	1,303	244
1979	5,143	234	2,843	1,303	247
1980P	5,143	234	2,843	1,303	246

P - Preliminary

Source: Edison Electric Institute, Statistical Year Book of the Electric Utility Industry, annual.

GENERATION OF ELECTRICITY
BY ELECTRIC UTILITY INDUSTRY
(Million kilowatt-Hours)

Nebraska		Selected Years			
Year	Total Industry	Hydro	Conventional Steam	Nuclear Steam	Internal Combustion
1940	892	652	149	—	91
1945	1,333	502	749	—	82
1950	2,003	567	1,290	—	146
1955	2,878	429	2,267	—	182
1960	4,352	959	3,168	—	225
1965	5,404	1,116	4,020	—	273
1966	5,625	1,162	4,184	—	279
1967	5,817	1,163	4,367	—	287
1968	6,786	1,254	5,223	—	309
1969	7,367	1,237	5,801	—	329
1970	7,971	1,370	6,259	—	342
1971	7,766	1,359	6,509	—	348
1972	8,438	1,372	6,078	—	358
1973	9,648	1,370	7,320	600	357
1974	12,302	1,293	6,659	3,996	354
1975	13,290	1,214	5,806	5,916	354
1976	13,291	1,278	5,896	5,824	293
1977	14,863	1,220	5,944	7,452	247
1978	15,212	1,189	6,081	7,726	216
1979	17,413	1,245	7,342	8,659	167
1980P	16,309	1,336	9,080	5,783	110

P - Preliminary

Source: Edison Electric Institute, Statistical Year Book of the Electric Utility Industry, annual.

ENERGY SALES OF ELECTRIC UTILITY INDUSTRY BY CLASS OF SERVICE
(Million Kilowatt-Hours)

Nebraska		Selected Years			
Year	Total	Residential	Commercial, Industrial	Public Authorities	Other
1940	658	224	349	58	28
1945	996	305	554	106	32
1950	1,513	651	751	97	14
1955	2,764	1,290	1,314	159	1
1960	4,882	2,040	2,649	193	0
1965	6,030	2,510	3,223	275	22
1966	6,543	2,672	3,568	283	20
1967	7,124	2,833	3,922	349	20
1968	7,692	3,121	4,159	392	20
1969	8,113	3,312	4,393	386	22
1970	8,795	3,598	4,763	413	21
1971	9,035	3,674	4,892	445	24
1972	9,533	3,836	5,178	479	40
1973	10,428	4,182	5,694	501	51
1974	10,654	4,255	5,838	509	52
1975	11,401	4,635	6,169	542	54
1976	12,170	4,837	6,705	568	60
1977	12,898	5,111	7,169	547	71
1978	13,285	5,325	7,379	509	72
1979	13,691	5,481	7,582	548	80
1980	14,163	5,767	7,750	562	84

Source: Edison Electric Institute, Statistical Year Book of the Electric Utility Industry, annual.

AVERAGE NUMBER OF CUSTOMERS
OF ELECTRIC UTILITY INDUSTRY

Nebraska		Selected Years	
Year	Total(1)	Residential	Commercial
1940	291,737	245,718	44,869
1945	289,355	245,801	41,386
1950	403,416	346,584	53,953
1955	461,797	400,861	56,716
1960	528,102	429,696	91,365
1965	537,360	461,123	69,735
1966	544,870	466,779	71,849
1967	550,068	470,101	73,901
1968	547,785	466,727	75,108
1969	546,480	465,155	77,371
1970	557,502	474,160	77,590
1971	574,166	488,240	80,291
1972	585,288	496,919	82,825
1973	600,652	508,253	86,797
1974	612,829	518,976	88,371
1975	628,731	531,359	91,246
1976	646,906	546,050	94,240
1977	665,881	561,491	98,102
1978	685,536	576,188	104,603
1979	689,157	579,332	103,406
1980	699,281	588,073	104,701

(1) Includes public authorities, railroads and others not shown separately.

Source: Edison Electric Institute, Statistical Year Book of the Electric Utility Industry, annual.

REVENUES OF ELECTRIC UTILITY INDUSTRY BY CLASS OF SERVICE
(Thousands of Dollars)

Nebraska				Selected Years	
Year	Total	Residential	Commercial, Industrial	Public Authorities	Other
1940	\$ 18,562	\$ 9,052	\$ 8,049	\$ 1,218	\$ 243
1945	23,271	11,127	10,154	1,727	262
1950	35,304	19,549	13,845	1,759	151
1955	61,427	35,088	23,862	2,466	11
1960	89,086	45,593	40,072	3,421	0
1965	107,969	55,336	48,225	4,162	246
1966	114,356	57,261	52,215	4,638	242
1967	121,723	60,287	56,331	4,852	253
1968	129,309	64,832	58,965	5,255	257
1969	134,292	67,154	61,693	5,151	294
1970	145,589	72,521	67,314	5,472	282
1971	156,265	77,388	72,661	5,790	336
1972	175,019	86,002	81,901	6,654	462
1973	186,901	88,315	90,774	7,260	552
1974	202,760	95,674	93,730	7,783	573
1975	251,311	117,739	122,981	9,954	637
1976	312,702	142,716	156,835	12,360	791
1977	361,669	166,611	181,209	12,694	1,155
1978	399,099	184,085	200,822	13,035	1,157
1979	439,466	201,293	221,548	15,351	1,274
1980	492,546	227,618	246,521	17,091	1,316

Source: Edison Electric Institute, Statistical Year Book of the Electric Utility Industry, annual.

SHIPMENTS OF COAL IN NEBRASKA
(Thousand Tons)

Nebraska

1958-1979

Year	Total	Utilities	Retail	Other
1958	619	277	134	208
1959	590	217	127	226
1960	675	256	145	275
1961	604	209	98	297
1962	806	388	99	320
1963	876	465	74	337
1964	867	501	56	305
1965	762	486	45	231
1966	703	417	30	256
1967	698	501	23	174
1968	666	534	26	107
1969	1,066	901	47	119
1970	1,193	1,006	28	160
1971	1,095	947	21	128
1972	1,401	1,228	28	145
1973	1,611	1,367	21	223
1974	1,786	1,465	10	311
1975	1,733	1,468	6	259
1976	2,274	1,744	6	524
1977	2,725	2,177	7	541
1978	3,461	2,901	6	555
1979	4,929	4,374	16	540

Source: U.S. Department of Energy, Bituminous Coal and Lignite Distribution, annual, (formerly published by the U.S. Bureau of Mines) and unpublished data from U.S. Bureau of Mines and Federal Power Commission.

APPENDIX A

TYPICAL ELECTRIC BILLS - INDUSTRIAL, COMMERCIAL
(In Dollars)

Nebraska

January 1, 1981

INDUSTRIAL

Community	Billing Demands (Kilowatts) and Monthly Consumption (Megawatt Hours)									
	150 kW		300 kW		500 kW		1,000 kW		5,000 kW	
	30 MWh	60 MWh	60 MWh	120 MWh	100 MWh	200 MWh	200 MWh	400 MWh	1,500 MWh	2,500 MWh
Grand Island	\$1,911	\$3,076	\$3,682	\$5,873	\$5,951	\$9,602	\$11,622	\$18,924	\$75,245	\$111,755
Lincoln	1,507	2,066	2,972	4,088	4,924	—	—	—	—	—
Omaha (W)	—	—	—	4,306	5,577	6,992	10,877	13,707	60,352	74,502
(S)	1,018	1,763	1,950	3,380	3,192	5,537	6,298	10,929	43,610	—
	1,067	1,868	2,052	3,594	3,365	5,896	6,649	11,651	46,332	—
	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	63,275

COMMERCIAL

Community	Billing Demands (Kilowatts) and Monthly Consumption (Kilowatt Hours)					
	6 kW	12 kW	30 kW	40 kW	50 kW	100 kW
	750 kWh	1,500 kWh	6,000 kWh	10,000 kWh	12,500 kWh	30,000 kWh
Grand Island	\$61.48	\$109.12	\$365.91	\$571.95	\$695.73	\$1,562.15
	67.13	120.02	397.31	627.35	758.63	1,647.55
	58.38	105.77	362.56	572.60	703.88	1,592.80
Lincoln (W)	37.36	70.02	261.73	432.13	536.13	1,264.13
(S)	39.98	76.48	301.48	501.48	626.48	1,501.48
Omaha (W)	40.83	72.16	244.66	392.40	468.87	994.80
(S)	43.15	75.81	253.26	405.85	486.87	1,045.55

(W) - Winter (S) - Summer

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